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PRICE TWO CENTS

VOTE TO SUPPORT
SWEET HOME SOAP

GROCERS ASSOCIATION TAKES
ACTION AT MEETING

TWO DELEGATES TO BOSTON

Secretaries Taggart and Wensole
Will Go to Boston to National
Convention

At its meeting last night the Re-
tail Grocers' association, departing
from its usual custom of sending one
delegate to the National Grocers'
convention, voted to send two dele-
gates to Boston. The delegates elect-



HARRY TAGGART.

Financial Secretary of the Grocers'
Association, Who Is a Delegate
to the National Convention

ed are Harry Taggart, financial sec-
retary, and Charles Wensole, cor-
responding secretary. The convention
opens May 11, and will be the lar-
gest in point of attendance and the
most important ever held.

The matter of supporting home
goods was brought up by Secretary
Taggart who made a vigorous speech
in which he urged that every effort
should be made to promote the sale
of products manufactured or jobbed
by La Crosse firms.

A particular case was brought up
in the matter of Sweet Home soap,



CHARLES WENSOLE.

Corresponding Secretary of Grocers'
Association Who Is a Delegate
to the National Convention

made in La Crosse, and the associa-
tion voted to push this soap in a
manner to give a thorough introduc-
tion, and to support the company in
every possible way. Mr. Taggart
said the company should co-operate
with the grocers in creating a gen-
eral for the soap, and he believed it
could do so.

PRETTY WEDDING
AT NOON TODAY

At high noon today the wedding of
Miss Julia Miller, daughter of Mr.
Joseph Miller, occurred at the home
of the bride's parents, to Mr. Frank
Ducke, a railway mail clerk residing
at Hokah, Minn.

The ceremony was performed by
Rev. J. Camm of the German Luther-
an church. In the presence of a large
number of relatives and friends.

After the wedding they were ten-
dered a reception at 423 Madison
street, and they will leave this even-
ing on a honeymoon of several weeks
to Chicago and Milwaukee, where
they will visit relatives.

Mr. Ducke has been employed as
allway mail clerk for the past sev-
eral years.

Upon their return they will make
their home at 600 Vine street.
The happy couple received a large
number of beautiful gifts from their
many friends as a token of esteem.

CANADA THINKS
WELL OF CANAL

GEORGIAN BAY PROPOSITION
ATTRACTIVE THERE

CONSULAR REPORT IS O. K.

Canal Means an Inland Water Route
of 440 Miles for Heavy
Traffic

Washington Bureau of
The La Crosse Tribune
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11.
(By J. C. Welliver.)

That the Canadian government con-
tinues to take a deep interest in the
proposed Georgian Bay canal is
shown by a report which has reached
here from Consul A. G. Seyfert of
Collingwood. He says the engineer-
in-chief of the survey for this great
waterway as presented the Domini-
on parliament an extensive report of
the year's survey work, which was
largely confined to the French river,
between Georgian Bay and North
Bay, a distance of 31 miles.

The purpose of this vast water-
way project is to construct a canal
that will reach from Georgian Bay,
east of Lake Huron, to Ottawa and
Montreal. It would mean an inland
water route of 440 miles from Geo-
rgian Bay to an ocean port instead of
the long distance that lake shipping
now has to traverse through Lake
Huron, the Detroit river, Lake Erie
and thence across New York state
to New York city. If it is ever con-
structed, it will mean that the fa-
cilities for the Canadian northwest
to get its grain to the seaboard are
greatly increased at the expense of
the grain growers of the American
northwest.

Distance Saved.

Aside from the dealing with fea-
tures of construction, which do not
appear to present serious obstacles,
the report of the engineer points out
that the proposed canal would mean
a great saving in distance from the
interior of Canada to the British
market. From Fort William, at the
head of Lake Superior, to Liverpool,
via New York, is 4,929 miles, while

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FIGHT ON DUBUQUE
ENDS IN OUSTER

CHICAGO, March 11.—The Three
League met at the Sherman House
this morning. Edward Holland,
president, was opposed for re-elec-
tion by some of the clubs who are
dissatisfied with her conduct in the
Dubuque case. M. H. Sexton, a
former president, and Frank D. Fox
are possibilities. One more vote is
needed to make a change. The fix-
ing of the schedule is under way,
and an endeavor is being made to
divide the holiday games fairly.

After a stormy session the league
adjourned at noon still in a dead-
lock over the election of a president.
Ignoring three injunctions, the Du-
buque club was expelled. President
Kinsella, of Springfield, accompa-
nied by Attorney Louis Fitzhenry, an-
nounced, on advice of counsel, that
the directors could vote on the ex-
pulsion. Clinton and Peoria object-
ed. Rock Island refused to vote, and
Dubuque was not allowed to. Du-
buque denied the right of the other
club to take action. Its men re-
mained in the meeting, although their
voting was forbidden. Holland,
Sexton, Bering and Fox are after the
presidency. If the expulsion stands
the new president will name a com-
mittee to select a town to take Du-
buque's place. Joliet, Ill., has asked
for the franchise.

FRANK C. SPENCER
DIES THIS MORNING

Frank C. Spencer died this morning
at 11:30, 1630, Berlin street, af-
ter a lingering illness of tubercu-
losis.

He was 31 years of age. A widow
and parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B.
Spencer of 1546 Berlin street, be-
sides a sister, Miss Mollie who lives
at home and a brother, K. E. Spen-
cer, of Chicago, survive.

Sletten Bros. are in charge of the
funeral arrangements for which will
be made later.

REJECT GIFT; RETAIN FOOTBALL

SWARTHMORE, Pa., March 11.—
The trustees of Swarthmore col-
lege this afternoon voted to reject
the bequest of Miss Anna T. Jeans,
the wealthy Quakeress, which car-
ried with it the proviso that the col-
lege must abolish intercollegiate
games, including football. The com-
mittee which has been investigating
the value of the bequest reported
that the lands were worth from
\$100,000 to \$470,000. There is
great rejoicing among the students
and alumni because of the decision.

POST IS ABANDONED

WASHINGTON, March 11.—Secre-
tary Taft has signed an order for the
abandonment of the military post
known as Fort Keach, Mont.

ACTRESS IS GONE,
MAY HAVE ELOPED

Phyllis Dare, the most photograph-
ed young actress on the British
stage, and often called the most be-
autiful woman in England, has mys-
teriously disappeared from Birming-
ham, and it is rumored that she has
eloped with Lord Dalmery, Lord
Roseberry's son, and heir to fortune
of \$15,000,000.

MAN KILLED BY
TRAIN IDENTIFIED

STRANGER PROVES TO HAVE
BEEN FROM HOKAH

WAS SENT TO ST. PAUL, MINN.

James Brennan Had Been in Jail at
Caledonia, Then Wandered to
Village and There Met Death

The man killed by the mail train
at West Salem yesterday morning
has been identified as James Bren-
nan. While he was in West Salem
he had told parties there that he had
a sister residing in Hokah, Minn.,
but nothing further could be ob-
tained from him. People in Hokah
were given a description of the man
and he was identified.

It was believed by Coroner Cronin
that he was an escaped insane pa-
tient who had fled from the Houston
county authorities, but advices from
Caledonia state that he had been
kept in jail there for some time and
at that time was believed to be suf-
fering from a severe case of delirium
tremens. He was set at liberty and
was placed on the train for St. Paul,
a ticket for that place was found on
his body. It is presumed that he
got off at West Salem. At the time
of his death a search of his clothes
revealed three cents in money and
several little articles, nothing, how-
ever, that would lead to his identi-
fication. While in West Salem, the
night before the accident, he asked
the town marshal for a night's lodg-
ing and accordingly was given a
berth in the lock-up.

GIRLS SHOT IN BED IN
FASHIONABLE SCHOOL

BOSTON, Mass., March 11.—Two
young women were found shot dead
in bed at the fashionable Laurens
school this morning. A Miss Weed
escaped from a sanitarium at New-
ton last night and fled to the school
where her friend, Miss Hardy, agreed
to care for her. The nurse heard
the shots this morning. The identi-
ty of the girls is guarded. The po-
lice suspect a suicide pact, but it may
be murder.

The police say the woman who did
the shooting was Sarah Chamber-
lain Wood, of Philadelphia and the
woman she killed was Elizabeth Bal-
ley Hardee, of East Savannah, Ga.
Then she shot herself. Each is in
the thirties, and they have been
friends since their graduation from
Wellesley.

BOB TRYING TO BREAK
TAFT SLATE TODAY

OKLAHOMA CITY, March 11.—
Taft is expected to secure an in-
structed delegation to the national
republican convention in the Okla-
homa convention this afternoon. The
Taft slate has been framed to that
end, and the La Follette men, who
are fighting for an un instructed
delegation, cannot show their real
strength because political organiza-
tion here is largely in Taft hands.
However, La Follette's clever polit-
ical methods have created much
sentiment for him in the state, and
his leaders may show up stronger
than the opposition anticipated.

COMMISSION TO
HEAR ARGUMENTS

STOPPAGE PRIVILEGES TAKEN
UP MARCH 27TH

BOARD OF TRADE NOTIFIED

Communication from Rate Commission
is Referred to the Jobbers Un-
ion for Action

Secretary A. A. Bentley this morn-
ing as in receipt of a communication
from the railroad commission at
Madison in regard to the adjourned
hearing in the matter of the com-
mission of "stoppage in transit priv-
ileges."

The first meeting was held on Feb.
27, the second on March 7 and the
third will be held on March 27. All
roads are cited to appear.

The communication is in regard to
the stoppage of cars enroute for re-
loading.

Some time ago it was possible to
stop cars enroute and empty them,
and then fill them and send them on
to some other place at the rate paid
for "through" freight. Later the
railroad companies charged \$5 for
each stop made enroute and at pres-
ent they do not allow cars to stop
enroute in through freight at all.
Local freight can be emptied as us-
ual but when a through freight is
stopped for a car to be unloaded the
rate is raised about 25 per cent over
"local" freight.

Favors Small Wholesaler

In case it is made permissible to
stop the cars enroute it will be to
the advantage of the small whole-
saler or jobber as they can then ship
parts of cars from one place to an-
other at the rate it costs from the
starting point to the terminal.

The larger jobber, however, will
no doubt object as he can sell most
of his goods in carload lots.

Referred to Jobbers' Union
The matter was today referred by
the secretary of the board of trade
to Secretary R. Calvert of the Man-
ufacturers' and Jobbers' union.

NO REAL WORK IN
LA CROSSE FOR TAFT

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A story appearing in the Mil-
waukee Sentinel this morning
to the effect that there is a
strong Taft organization in La
Crosse county, among those
whose "cold tolerance" of La
Follette has given way to sen-
timent for the war secretary, is
declared today to be false, by
Taft men.
One high in that portion of
the republican party known to
be favorable to Taft against Mr.
La Follette said that petitions
for Taft delegates were being
circulated but that there was no
work against La Follette nor
any work for Taft. "Some of
the Taft men thought they
should have Taft delegates," he
said. "That's all there is to it."
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RIVER IS RAPIDLY
CLEARING OF ICE

At shortly before 10 o'clock this
morning, the ice in the Mississippi
river above the wagon bridge broke
and on the west side of the river the
ice loosened and floated down the
stream. On the east side of the river
the ice is lodged between the two
piers and up to 3 o'clock had not
loosened although it is expected to
move out at any time.

The opening at the river at this
point is the earliest date since 1903,
when the ice started to move March
9th, although it did not clear until
the 15th. In 1902 the river was en-
tirely cleared of ice by March 9 and
the records show that year the ear-
liest in ten years.

Yesterday the ice below the bridge
moved out and was lodged about a
mile below here although it is now
on the move again.

The ice now floating down the
river is from above Pettibone island
and the river is said to be open as
far as Winona, the Black river being
open to the elevators, and by tomor-
row it is predicted that the river will
be free from ice.

The record of the clearing of the
river since 1900 is as follows:

1900—April 3.
1901—March 25.
1902—March 9.
1903—March 9-15.
1904—March 31.
1905—March 24.
1906—April 4.
1907—March 23.
1908—March 10.

CHILD EXPIRES.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Colman,
114 South Fifteenth street, mourn
the loss of their infant child. Death
occurred this morning and the fun-
eral was held from the home this af-
ternoon. Interment at Oak Grove
cemetery.

Sues Husband, Her Former
Coachman, For Faithlessness

Mrs. Aurel Patonyn, the New York social leader, who has sued her
husband, who formerly was her coachman, for divorce, naming ten co-
respondents. Mr. Batonyi retaliates with a suit, naming eleven men.

RAILROAD COMPANY
TO 'TEND CROSSING

JUDICIARY AND RAILWAY COM-
MITTEES SO DECIDE

NOT UP TO STREET CAR CO.

At Meeting Last Night it Was De-
cided to Recommend that Rail-
road be Made Responsible

The railroad company must pro-
tect Mill street crossing and keep
gates down when cars are moving at
the crossing. The street car com-
pany is not obliged to send men
ahead to flag the crossing at that
place.

The railroad and ordinance com-
mittee last evening held a meeting
at the city hall at which a minority
and a majority report was eventually
reached and which will, unless some
changes are made, be submitted at
the next meeting of the common
council of the city of La Crosse, Fri-
day evening.

Members of Committees

The aldermen present were seven
in number, namely: Ordinance com-
mittee, Messrs. Hirschschelmer, Bartl
and Rose, and on railroads, Messrs.
Kellar, Doyens, Rose, and Goddard.
The majority maintained that a
conductor who is rushed to the
crossing in a street car and runs up
to the crossing cannot see at a glance
where the cars are, and whether
they are moving or standing still or
whether another is being switched
over the crossing, and they therefore
decided to recommend that it would
be of no avail to have the conductor
flag the crossing, because even if he
did flag it he might misconstrue
some of the signals given by men
for a concealed signal.

Expect Minority Fight.

The minority report which it is
understood will be fought by north
side aldermen will be hotly contest-
ed.

The contention of the majority
was that it was much more danger-
ous when the conductor of the car
went ahead than if the crossing was
attended to by the railroad com-
pany's man at the gates who would
know in what condition the crossing
was before he opened the gates.

LYNCH FOUR NEGROES

MOBILE, Ala., March 11.—Dave
Poe, Tom Ranston and two Jenkins
brothers, all negroes, were lynched
at Van Cleave, Miss., twenty miles
north of Biloxi, Miss., by a mob of
thirty men at 8 o'clock last night.
The men were in the custody of De-
puty Sheriff Evans of Jackson county
enroute to jail, when the mob over-
took them.

A series of incendiary fires of
warehouses, causing losses in char-
coal, foodstuffs and other supplies,
incensed the people of the vicinity.
The four negroes confessed their
guilt when the mob took them from
the deputy and all four were hanged
to limbs of trees by the side of the
road, where the bodies were found
this morning.

RACHLEMAN BROKE
THE ICE IN RIVER

BUT CLARK SOLVES WEIGHTY
PROBLEM OF HIS RESCUE

HE HAD A CLOSE CALL

Ex-Alderman Saves Prominent Citi-
zen from Davy Jones' Locker
In River

"Hang your clothes on a hickory
limb.
But don't go near the water."

All day long John Rachleman
sings this song, his friends say. Not
that John has been inclined to trifle
with water to an unreasonable ex-
tent, but yesterday he took a chance.

Mr. Rachleman is a launch enthu-
siast, and the cracking of going-out
ice in the river attracted him to the
vicinity of his boat house. There,
absorbed by spring-time reveries, he
trampled unconsciously upon a
treacherous bit of ice which promptly
gave way, precipitating him into
the Mississippi. John got cold feet,
and wanted to hurry out, but the
current conspired with his aversion
to hold him down.

Ex-Alderman Burt Clark, a kind-
red spirit in love of the gasoline
smell, was working nearby on his
launch, and responding to Rachle-
man's gurgling protest against im-
bibing so much water without any-
thing to call for a wash, hastened to
haul the gentleman to the surface.

Mr. Rachleman was taken home in a
buggy, where warm flannels and a
fire co-operated with his robust
health and energy to restore him. He
decided to keep the affair secret,
but indiscreetly yielded to the neces-
sity of wearing his holiday clothes
when there was no holiday. Sus-
picion led to inquiry, inquiry to gos-
sip, until at last the story was out.

HITCHCOCK WORRIES
HARRY THAW'S SEAT

NEW YORK, March 11.—The
Hitchcock trial opened today with
five jurors selected. Justice Blanche
instructed the attorneys that the
jury must be completed today, and
accordingly the examination is more
hurried. Only those connected with
the case are admitted to the court
room, but there is a great crowd
in the corridors. Hitchcock shows
signs of worry. He occupies the
seat in which Harry K. Thaw sat
during his last trial.

HELD WHILE BOOKS
ARE BEING AUDITED

S. W. Steen, Chicago, who has had
charge of this city in the interests of
the Jewel Tea company with offices
and residence at Sixth and Ferry
streets, had not been at home since
Sunday and today is located in the
central police station. Auditor A.
Heick, of Chicago, is in the city to
audit his books.

EVELYN THAW IN
DIVORCE ACTION

WIFE OF MADMAN ASKS MAR-
RIAGE ANNULLMENT

NO ALIMONY IS ASKED FOR

This Fact Indicates Denial of Cash
Settlement is Not the Act-
ual Fact

NEW YORK, March 11.—Papers
were filed in the suit of Evelyn Thaw
against Harry Thaw and Mrs. Wil-
liam Thaw for the annulment of her
marriage, on the ground that Harry
was insane when she married him.

Daniel O'Reilly, Evelyn's lawyer,
denies the report that a settlement
of \$50,000 on Evelyn has been of-
fered or made. In answer to a ques-
tion, Mr. O'Reilly made a statement
which has an important bearing upon
any future attempt which may be
made by Harry Thaw's lawyers to
have him released from confinement
in Mattewan.

"In the event of any move being
made for the release of Harry Thaw
on the grounds that he was not in-
sane at the time of his incarceration
in the asylum," said he, "Evelyn
Thaw will come to his aid and testify
in his behalf. She will in no way
stand in the way of whatever efforts
may be made in the future to release
Harry Thaw."

Will Not Deny Arrangement.

The attorney was asked if this at-
titude on her part could be taken as
indicative of any arrangement made
between Evelyn Thaw and her hus-
band or between the wife and Mrs.
William Thaw and others of the
Thaw family. That was a point he
did not care to elucidate. Nor would
he explain the seeming discrepancy
between Evelyn Thaw's willingness
to testify on her husband's behalf in
any possible efforts to gain his re-
lease and a statement he had previ-
ously made in effect that his client's
action in seeking the annulment was
due to the breach which had existed
between them for a year and which
had widened beyond the possibility
of reconciliation of late.

According to O'Reilly, the coolness
between Harry Thaw and his wife
began during the middle of Thaw's
first trial for murder. It became
more and more strained during
Thaw's incarceration in the Tombs
between his two trials, and when he
again was called before the bar this
year Evelyn Thaw went through her
part of testifying for him out of some
sense other than that of undivided
affection. This breach was in no
sense due to the aloofness between
the prisoner's family and his wife,
said O'Reilly, but it was a personal
matter between Harry Thaw and
Evelyn only, which could not be
made public.

"If they are not reconciled at the
last minute," added O'Reilly, "the
cause of the trouble between them
will be explained in due time."

WARNING TO GROWERS.

MAYFIELD, Ky., March 11.—A
dozen or more tobacco growers
around Hickory Grove, just north of
here, have received warning notices
from night riders advising them to
get into the association or take what
comes.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Mr. Emil Jahnke of McLean coun-
ty, North Dakota, and Mrs. Mathilda
Kapanke of this city obtained a
license to wed from County Clerk
Rawlinson this afternoon.

WEATHER FORECAST



Coldest, 38; warmest, 56; wind, 8
miles; precipitation, none.
Eighty at Los Angeles and 2 be-
low at Northfield were the extremes
of temperature yesterday.

Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Fair tonight and
Thursday; moderate temperature.
Minnesota—Fair tonight and
Thursday; moderate temperature.
Iowa—Fair tonight and Thurs-

Ask your dealer on

MARCH 16

NEW DRIVER FOR THOMAS CAR

CHEYENNE, Wyo., March 11.—With E. Linn Mathewson of Denver at the wheel, the Thomas car leading in the New York to Paris automobile contest, left this city last night for the West. Mathewson is expected to pilot the car to Ogden, Utah. The Americans passed Laramie, fifty-two miles west, at three hours and twenty minutes later.

OMAHA, Neb., March 11.—The Italian Zust reached Central City, 135 miles west of Omaha at nine o'clock last night. The drivers plan to make a night run to Grand Island, 156 miles west of Omaha. Repairs on the car delayed the Italian contestants thirty-six hours in this city.

St. Chaffray, driver of the first French car in the race, is here in an effort to get repairs for his car, which is broken down near Marshalltown, Iowa. Owing to a broken shaft which St. Chaffray says cannot be repaired in this country the progress of the De Dion will be delayed for at least two weeks.

CLINTON, Ia., March 11.—Lieutenant Koepfen piloted the German Protos car into Clinton at 5:15 yesterday afternoon, and was accorded a royal reception by members of the local German societies. The French Motobloc, the second car in the race shipped into this city tonight and will be here several days for repairs.

WHAT CAUSES HEADACHE
From October to May, Colds are the most frequent cause of Headache. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes cause. E. W. Grove on box 25c.

HASTINGS GOES TO MICHIGAN LEAGUE

SOUTH BEND, Ind., March 11.—Manager Myers of the Kalamazoo Southern Michigan league team has signed Pitcher Ira Hastings, who was with the Green Bay, Wis., team in the Wisconsin league last season.

Speaking of Indiana, would a painted Sioux be a Sioux veneer?

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THE SPORT WORLD

DECIDE TO ENLARGE BLEACHERS AT PARK

BASEBALL ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING YESTERDAY

ELLIOTT GOES TO MILWAUKEE

Eau Claire Still Has Hopes of Staying in Northern League with North St. Paul

It was decided at the meeting of the baseball directors yesterday that more improvements at the league park are necessary for the coming season. The bleachers on the south end of the grand stand will be extended and other minor improvements attended to before the opening of the season.

Following the meeting President John Elliott left for Milwaukee where he will attend the meeting of the state league which convenes at the Hotel Davidson today. Besides the adoption of the schedule a treasurer will be elected to succeed G. B. Wheeler of the Eau Claire club and several other important matters will be taken up before the meeting.

An attempt is being made by the Northern league to have South St. Paul enter that league with a team and if the proposition goes through it is possible that the Eau Claire club will be retained in that organization. Yesterday afternoon a telephone message from Eau Claire said that Eau Claire will be represented in the Northern this year.

Whitmore Looks Good.
Speaking of Whitmore, former Wisconsin league man, the Minneapolis Journal says:

"In the Wisconsin league Whitmore, a first baseman, was something of a whirlwind. The Wisconsin league, though, is hardly up to the pace of the association, and Whitmore will have to travel a warmer gait. Last season he played in 106 games, made 1,012 put outs, 34 assists and 30 errors, a fielding average of .971. He was a terror to the ladder league pitchers, finishing the season in third position in the list of hitters. He was at bat 460 times, made 60 runs and 119 hits, giving him a batting average of .293. He also has 16 sacrifices to his credit."

BADGERS TRIM ILLINOIS 27-14

MADISON, Wis., March 11.—After being outplayed and beaten by one point in the first half of the basketball game here last night, Wisconsin came back strong and pulled out a victory from Illinois by a score of 27 to 14. The badgers were off color and their play was far from standard. The Illinois outclassed them in the first half, but the badgers scored twenty points to their opponents six in the final period.

STAR BALL PLAYER



JOHN GANZEL.

Manager Ganzel of the Cincinnati Reds is a star ball player and capable of getting all there is out of his men. While with the New York Americans he made a name for himself as the best first baseman in the league. Last year with the Reds he demonstrated his ability so strongly that he was chosen to lead Cincinnati to the front this year. Cincinnati has been down so long that few expect them to win the pennant this year, but Ganzel hopes to place the Reds well up toward the top. No trades have been made with any big teams this year, but Rudy Hulswitt has been signed at shortstop and it is expected Hans Labert will be shifted to the third sack. This will materially strengthen the team.

There never was a woman who did not believe that her husband would have been dead long ago had he suffered one-tenth part of what she endures

SIX CARS FINISH A PERFECT SCORE

ONLY TWO CARS FAL DOWN IN THREE-DAY RACE

MAXWELL 1ST TO OSHKOSH

Roads Through Eastern Part of the State are Poor but Splendid Showing is Made

OSHKOSH, Wis., March 11.—The first leg of the three-day reliability run conducted by the Milwaukee Auto association was a huge success. Six of the eight machines entered arrived here with perfect scores, a truly remarkable feat when the weather conditions are taken into consideration. One of the Rambler entries, a four cylinder touring car, driven by Frank Roessler, was penalized 25 points for a break in the transmission seat, and 18 points were deducted from the Jackson score on account of trouble with the spark plug. All the other machines arrived here just as they started from Milwaukee, plus several hundred dollars worth of real estate collected from the roads of Milwaukee, Ozaukee and Winnebago counties.

As a result of the great showing made by six of the machines it is believed a perfect score is now a possibility. The roads were in terrible shape yesterday, and unless they are worse today, which is almost an impossibility, several of the cars ought to finish with a clean count.

Ed Sanger, in a Maxwell four cylinder machine, was the first to arrive in Oshkosh, closely followed by the Thomas Forty. Sanger arrived at 12:30, his actual running time being 5 hours and 10 minutes. Sanger started at 7:30 o'clock, and by 10 o'clock was having a pretty race with the Thomas Forty. Both machines behaved perfectly, and could have made much better time if the course had been marked thoroughly. Confetti was distributed but sparsely, with the result that much time was lost keeping to the course.

Neal Brown, president of the state association, and several other prominent autoists, were in Oshkosh to greet the drivers when they arrived.

Turn Your Face Into Dollars

Many a Man Has Failed Because His Face Was a Picture of Calamity.

It takes sunshine to produce a rose, a perfect rose. And so man, to be successful, must have sunshine inside. The life which has it not, which has no health and no happiness, is sour, surly, pessimistic, and a failure. The world already has too many vinegar faces that breathe ill-will and strife. The world wants joy, comfort, sunshine, and will cling to the man who has it, who radiates gladness and triumph wherever he is and under all circumstances.

Some people have a genius for seeking out the disagreeable, the crooked, the bad and the ugly. These are the destroyers; they travel in schools, they herd together for they love their kind, and the cheerful part of the world will have nothing to do with them.

And why is it that so many peddle disaster knowing at the same time that if they do, their lives will be ruined? Some people cannot help it, for pessimism usually comes from bodily disorders, and this cannot always be prevented. The stomach, for instance, is the most common cause of discontent, sour face, recklessness, disgust and lack of ambition. A bad stomach—there is the secret of many a failure. Anyone can have a good stomach, a strong stomach, a stomach that can take care of anything and everything that is put into it, no matter whether it is a very bad stomach now or not. Then why not have it?

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets do this very thing. One ingredient of these little tablets digests 3,000 grains of food, and no matter how bad is your dyspepsia or indigestion, these tablets will digest everything in your stomach, thoroughly and completely, and better and quicker than the same thing. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure quickly loss of appetite, brash, irritation, burning sensation, nausea, heartburn, eructations, loss of vim and spirit, bad memory, and dyspepsia and indigestion in their worst forms.

No other little tablets in the world can do so much. You should carry Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets around with you wherever you go and take them after meals. Then only will you realize what it is to enjoy a meal, and what perfect digestion means. Your whole body and your mind will feel the effects; your vim will increase, you will be more satisfied with what the world does, you will think happier and be happier and your face will be one of supreme contentment. That will bring you success and then more success. Your face will bring you dollars. Try it. It will cost you just 50c. for a pack of these wonderful Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, at any drug store on earth.

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CARDINAL WHO IS NOT A PROHIBITIONIST IS POPULAR



Cardinal James Gibbons and his cathedral where he preaches the first Sunday in every month.

Cardinal James Gibbons, head of the American Catholic church, is one of the most beloved Americans of today, is popular with the masses and with the rich alike, revered by his own church and by every other denomination and religion. Recently he created a sensation by declaring that he does not believe in prohibition.

In studying into the secret of Cardinal Gibbons' hold on the American people we find that two predominant factors characterize his life. He is thoroughly democratic, with simple tastes, and the fact that he lives as he preaches. Cardinal Gibbons is a true friend of the American laboring men and they know it. He exercises every effort in their behalf and yet he injects into his sympathy a practical farsightedness and economic conservatism which demonstrates to the capitalist that he is fair-minded and reasonable. He leads a very simple life. In his home in Baltimore he is surrounded by none of the pomp and arrogance of the European prelates. The house is simply furnished and the poorest of his callers feel perfectly at home



when interviewing the cardinal. He has an excellent faculty for reading human nature and seldom makes a mistake on first impressions. The cardinal devotes a considerable part of each day to advising and consoling people who come to him. On the other hand he is a favorite with the well bred society leaders in Baltimore and is usually seen in attendance at the speakers' table at all large banquets, where his speeches are always timely and well received. One of the great factors in his success in the pulpit is the fact that people know that whatever he says and preaches he lives himself.

JEFF OFFERED ANOTHER BOUT

SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—Jim Jeffries does not intend to leave the Chicago boxing delegation in undisputed possession of the spotlight. Jim got into print again through the



Scene in "On the Bridge at Midnight," Sunday's Attraction, La Crosse Theatre

medium of "Tex" Ricard, who is now in the city, and who offers a purse of \$35,000 for Jeffries to meet Jack Johnson Labor day.

The bout is planned for Rawhide, Nev., a new mining camp, which has produced such well-known figures in the pugilistic world as "Rawhide" Kelly. A representative of Ricard is now in Los Angeles conferring with Jeffries, and it is said that the greater part of the purse is to go to him, win, lose or draw. It is not known just how Jeff will consider the proposition, as he has agreed to take four pugilists to Alaska this summer and has also decided to become a promoter and hold bouts in an arena just outside the city limits of Los Angeles. With these various strings to his bow his attitude is somewhat uncertain.

SPORTING BRIEFS

The White Sox seconds defeated the University of California nine at Berkeley Monday, 10 to 7.

The White Sox leaders defeated the crack Oakland team 13 to 6. The feature of the game was two home runs by Davis.

At West Baden heavy snow storm during the day caused a stop to all practice.

Jake Schaefer, wizard of the cue, is making preparations for an eastern tour.

Hawkeye coaches have invented a new football stunt for practice. "Universal" game consisting of passing the ball and signal work.

Arrangements are in progress to make the visit of the Chicago White Sox an annual event at Los Angeles.

Swimmer Handy has declared that he does not fear the investigation of A. A. U. stating that his recent races at New York were "on the square."

Private Poll of the New York senate has showed that the anti-betting bills will fall to defeat.

The greater the opportunity the less likely it is to have an advance agent.

There are 49,627 ways of separating a fool and his money and then some.

SPORTING CALENDAR

Today
Contest at Chicago between Jacob Schaefer and Willie Hoppe for 18.1 billiard title.

Opening of livestock and horse show at Fort Worth, Texas.

Thursday
Freddie Welsh vs. Ray Bronson, 10 rounds, at Peoria, Ill.

Friday
International cable chess match for the Sir George News trophy. Johnny Cullen vs. "Young" Terry McGovern, 10 rounds at Los Angeles.

Saturday
National amateur billiard championship tourney begins at Chicago. Second annual indoor relay carnival at the university of Wisconsin. The Crescent City Derby will be run at New Orleans.

Wanted the Sensation

The venerable farmer with the tobacco stained whiskers and furrowed brow climbed aboard the limited and shambled into the smoker.

"Mister," he drawled, when the conductor halted before him, "is that thar 2-cent-a-mile rate good on this train?"

"It is," replied the conductor brusquely. "Where is your ticket?"

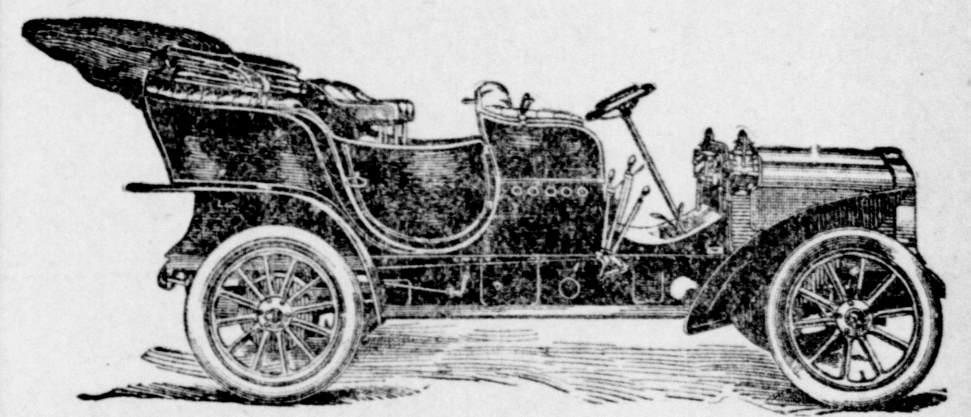
The old man fumbled in the depths of an ancient shot bag. "Ain't got no ticket, mister," he said slowly, "but here be 2 cents. I never rode on one of these pesky flyers and I just want to feel the sensation. Put me off after I've rode one mile."—Chicago Daily News.

THIS LUCKY GIRL DREW REAL ANGEL



Olive Fremstad, the opera singer, whose husband, Edson Webster Sutphen, has just made her a present of a valuable gold mine at Terra del Fuego, and, because he is "no spring chicken," also presented her with life insurance policies worth \$250,000.

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2-Sunday	16-Sunday		
3-Mon	6,320	17-Mon	6,300
4-Tues	6,370	18-Tues	6,300
5-Wed	6,320	19-Wed	6,300
6-Thurs	6,320	20-Thurs	6,320
7-Fri	6,320	21-Fri	6,310
8-Sat	6,310	22-Sat	6,300
9-Sunday	23-Sunday		
10-Mon	6,320	24-Mon	6,310
11-Tues	6,425	25-Tues	6,300
12-Wed	6,400	26-Wed	6,300
13-Thurs	6,300	27-Thurs	6,310
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I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of February, 1908, was as above stated.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-ninth day of February, 1908.

A. E. BLEEKMAN, Notary Public.

Our February Daily Average was 6,315

WEST SALEM A "LIVE ONE"

Admiration will be inspired by the vigor and earnestness with which La Crosse's wide awake little neighbor, West Salem, is going about the task of securing the location at that place of a state agricultural school.

The county fair association has promptly voted to donate the fair grounds as a site, and the county board has let it be understood that at its next regular meeting, March 25, it will vote the necessary financial support. Business men have shown enthusiasm for the project, and an appreciation of the value of the school, and The Tribune believes the state will make no mistake in establishing the coveted school there among one of the most progressive communities in the state of Wisconsin. We believe the people of West Salem have the sympathy and support of the citizens of this city in their aggressive endeavor to make their town a center of agricultural achievement in this part of the state.

A CHANCE FOR MEN.

The relation of men, particularly young men, to those things in life that most affect their moral and physical welfare, too often are "mysteries," acquaintance with which is shirked. "The proper study of mankind is man," and from no study that man pursues does he derive more that is of prime importance to him than from that which permits the fulfillment of the advice to "know thyself."

If young men came into their freedom endowed with full knowledge of the things to beset them, the perils of evasion of nature's laws, the religious as well as physiological path which leads through right living to health and happiness, there would be fewer to sacrifice the best things in life to the satiation of desires and habits the temporary gratification of which closes to them the book of true manhood.

In any community an index to the trend of thought among the masculine portion of its people can be had

SPOTLIGHTS

"On the Bridge at Midnight."

The plot and story of "On the Bridge at Midnight," which is to appear for two performances, Sunday, March 15, at the La Crosse theatre, is a triumph of ingenuity and play construction, and among the cleverest and most interesting on the stage. A blind mother seeks her kidnapped child and meets with experience that would overwhelm anybody but such a mother. The child has an important part that furnishes much of the interest. The play was an instantaneous success in Chicago where the scenes are laid and the famous bridge located. Seats ready Friday morning at the theatre candy store.

by the readiness with which they respond to opportunities for enlightenment and betterment. Such an opportunity is coming to the men of La Crosse on Thursday, when Dr. T. L. Herrington, the eminent Milwaukee lecturer and sociologist, will address the men of La Crosse 16 years old and upward on the subject of "social evils" at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. The lecture will be free. It would be worth all it cost were it a high priced discourse. The Tribune believes there is not a man in La Crosse who can better observe his time than in attendance upon it. If he is a father, he will find things which he should convey to his sons as they grow up; if he is a brother or uncle he will acquire information which it will be a profitable duty for him to teach the younger men closest to him; if he is a young man, he will find here the guideboards along the way to true manhood. It is well worth while.

MISS ANNA HICKSCH

It is with a glow of local pride that La Crosse people are enabled to realize that the greatest individual attraction at the 1908 Saengerfest is to be a La Crosse girl. Some of us knew Anna Hitchens when she was conjugating Latin verbs and singing at rhetoricals in the La Crosse high school, and even the girl in her middle teens before the culture of the finished artist was hers, delighted young audiences who knew intuitively that the singing of Anna Hitchens was not like that of other girls.

Gifted by nature with a remarkable voice, characterized by the sensitiveness which enables the true artist to feel and give expression to deep emotion, this charming young woman entered her career with the additional advantage of a fine intelligence making possible the fullest development of her musical genius. Her's was the soul and the mind, as well as the voice of the artist.

During the intervening years we have heard of her from all about the globe, always scoring distinguished successes, always advancing in her profession, always contributing to it something of her womanly character and exaltation the breath of which from the well-born women of the stage tends to purify its atmosphere and elevate its ideals. Well may La Crosse look with pride to the homecoming of one who by her art and her personality has made herself a warm welcome in the auditoriums of royalty and the drawing-rooms of princes. Yet our fondest thought is that the distinguished prima donna is still the lovable woman, Anna Hitchens.

FIFTY EDITORS ASSEMBLE.

MEMORIAL, Wis., March 11.—Fifty members of the Wisconsin Press association are in attendance at the annual meeting in this city.

Daniel Up to Date

Jimmy, aged 5, was told the story of Daniel in the lion's den, by his grandmother. When she had finished the story she asked Jimmy what he thought Daniel did the very first thing when he found he was saved from the lions?

"Oh, I guess he telephoned home to his wife to tell her he was all right," answered Jimmy.—Philadelphia Record.

The Dreaded Nuisance

"I wish you would give this office boy a trial—I am sure you will like him. He is such a cheery little chap—always whistling at his job."

"Humph! I guess that is the very reason he is now whistling for a job."

—Baltimore American.

Are you able to work by the day without being watched?

JUST LIFE



Explained.

Why his sweetheart was so sweet, The young man could not see, Until he lunched with her one day And saw her "came" her tea.

Satisfied poverty is far better than affluent discontent.

Applied for the Job.

Out in Salt Lake City a clever girl read this want advertisement: A STENOGRAPHER AND clerk; business experience more essential than stenography; some one who has brains enough not to take "rubebr" nickels; red-headed and freckled preferred. Address in own handwriting. T. 22, Tribune. y1155

And judging from this answer we should say the pluckiest Mormon would have a job on his hands with just one wife like this:

Gentlemen—Replying to your advertisement in this morning's Tribune, I desire to state that I am a young lady (through no fault of mine), 23 years of age, having had a business experience of seven years, being connected with the United States Embassy of Madagascar, and feel confident that if you will give me a trial that I can prove my worth to you.

I am not only an expert stenographer, proficient typewriter and bookkeeper, excellent telegraph operator, and erudite college graduate, but have every other accomplishment which might make me desirable.

I am an experienced hat trimmer, a first-class peanut roaster, have some knowledge of removing superfluous hair, and clipping puppy dogs' ears; have a medal for reciting "Curfew Shall Not Ring Tonight," am a skilled chiropractitioner and practical dishwasher. Can also cook, take care of babies, crease trousers, open oysters, and repair umbrellas, as well as being an adept in the surgical line.

Possessed of great physical beauty, being freckled and red-headed, I would lend to the sacred precincts of your office the artistic charm of a Satsuma vase or a stuffed Teddy bear.

As to salary, I presume, with these qualifications, you would be willing to pay me \$3 per week, but I would feel that I was robbing the widow and swiping the sponge cake from the orphan if I were to take advantage of your munificence by accepting such a fabulous sum. I would be entirely willing to give you my services for less, and by accepting \$1.37 would give you an opportunity to not only increase your donations to the church, pay your butcher, keep up your life insurance, furnish American beauties for your stenographer, but also to find a home for indigent fly-paper salesman and endow a free bed in the cat home.

In the event business should become dull, in order to replenish your treasury, I would, for a small consideration, let down my back hair and recite "Leah, the Forsaken." I did this at the Firemen's fair in my home village, and made a great hit.

Assuring you of my earnest effort to please you, if I am considered a desirable applicant, and trusting to be favored with an early and favorable reply, I remain, yours very respectfully,

DEL A. WARE.

Salt Lake City, Feb. 12, '08.

Day dreamers seldom have nightmares, though the horse is sometimes on them.

"Just Life."

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., March 10.—Insane from worry over the escape of his two daughters, one of whom is Mrs. Howard Gould, and the other Mrs. Sun Yue, wife of a poor Chinaman in San Francisco, Sheldon Perry Clemmons, old, blind and helpless, was brought to the Jacksonville asylum today and, unless help, which has so often been refused in the past, comes from the Gould fortune, he will remain a charge upon the state until death ends his sufferings. Clemmons is 70 years old.

—W. V. K.

A Matter of High Politics

One of the wildest of English poets is Lord Longford, and he has also earned the reputation of being one of the worst dressed, in spite of the fact that for twenty years he has been in the Second Life guards.

The story goes that a friend once met him in Ireland garbed in a pair of continuations which were not on speaking terms with his boots, and chaffed him mercilessly about the "lucid interval" that occurred between them. But "Tommy," as Lord Longford is known to his intimates, in no wise disconcerted, blandly explained that it was really a matter of high politics.

"You see, my dear fellow, the breeches were made by a tailor who is a rampant Orangeman, while the boots are the achievement of a Fenian cobbler, so how can you expect 'em to meet?"—London Tribune.

"Toothache, eh? I'd have the thing pulled out if it were mine."

"So would I, if it were yours!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

QUIPS AND CRANKS AND WANTON WILES

The Charge of the Spelling Squad.
Half a leag, half a leag,
Half a leag onward,
Gallopt the spelling board,
With its three hundred;
Knockt out one "g" from eg,
Lim is the word for leg,
Hear Brander Mathews beg:
"Lern the three hundred."

Forward the spelling board,
Teach 'em to spell it "sord,"
Slashing words lim from him,
How we have blundered;
We'll never yield the govt,
What tho the scoffers rost,
Spreed them from cost to cost,
All the three hundred.

Dettors to right of them,
Columns to left of them,
Bedstedts to slumber them,
Changed in the making;
Fonographs squeaking loud,
Pravely they spelt and rowed—
What tho their heads were now
Wofully aking!

Gone were the extra "p's"
Dram the silent "b's";
Diffthongs were routed;
Crazed by fonetic schemes
Quire singers rote by reams
Such words as solem,
Camfor and colum,
Harrang and thum and lam,
Pamflet and diagram,
Tho the world doubted.

Bravely they blit and well,
Teaching us how to spell
Cal-pain and boro;
Even that dreed diseze,
Tisls, they spell with eze,
Honor such words as these,
Reblit so thoro.

Detroit Free Press.

The Cuban Millionaire.

President Manuel Amador of Panama was reviewing the wonders of Coney Island.

"A remarkable place," he said to a reporter. "I shall never forget it. I am reminded of a joke they are telling about a Cuban millionaire. 'An unfortunate man obtained access to this millionaire, and depicted his wretched poverty in the most vivid and moving colors. Indeed, so graphic was the visitor's sad narrative, that the millionaire was very profoundly affected, and, summoning his servant, he said, with tears in his eyes, and a voice trembling with emotion: 'John, put this poor fellow out into the street. He is breaking my heart.'"

—New York Press.

Ups and Downs

"I suppose," said the manager, "that you are still determined to elevate the stage."

"No," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "I haven't been thinking so much of elevating the stage. What I would like now is some way of lowering railway fares."

A Narrow Escape

Helen—Were you ever in a street car accident?

Harry—Yes; the car was completely wrecked, but the passengers were packed so tight that only the outside layers were injured.

FASHION HINTS

By MAY MANTON



5931 Misses' Over Waist,
14 and 16 years.

(To be worn with any blouse.)

Over waists are so pretty and so attractive and so youthful without that it is no wonder their popularity seems ever to be increasing. This one is designed for young girls and is eminently graceful in its lines while it is simple in the extreme. In the illustration it is made of porcelain blue chiffon voile with trimming of taffeta and applique, but it is appropriate for all materials that are used for girls' gowns while it also is made from taffeta, messaline silk and the like, and used in conjunction with a guimpe of white to be worn with odd skirts. It includes the newer Japanese sleeves, that are much modified in breadth, and which are pretty and attractive without the least sense of bulk beneath the arms.

The over blouse is made in one piece. It is laid in tucks over the shoulders and is joined to a foundation girde over which the draped one is arranged.

The quantity of material required for the sixteen year size is: 1 1/2 yards 21 or 24, 3/4 yards 32 or 44 inches wide with 3 1/4 yards of applique, 3/4 yard of silk for the girde and trimming.

The pattern 5931 is cut in sizes for girls of 14 and 16 years of age and will be mailed to any address by the Fashion Department of this paper on receipt of ten cents. (If in haste, send an additional two cent stamp for letter postage which insures more prompt delivery.)

Papa From Naples

A STORY BY AXEL E. BETZONICH

I was sitting on a bench a little north of Elsinore looking at the clouds chasing one another across the sky sailing from Sweden towards the shores of Denmark. I began to stir up the heavy layer of brown leaves from the year before, and thought of friends and relations that I had lost. Then I lit my pipe and tried to make my melancholy thoughts fly away with the blue clouds of smoke.

A lonely wanderer came up the road. He carried himself erect and his walk was quick and elastic, but what attracted my attention more than anything else was his scarlet felt hat which stood out fine against the brown background. First I thought he was one of the guests of the Kurhouse, but when he came nearer I made him out to be either a peddler or a letter carrier or probably a painter.

The man took from his pocket a clarinet and began to play old Barl-bald march.

When he saw me he waved his hat and cried out with a foreign accent: "Good morning Sir, fine weather!"

"That was a fine piece you just played," I said.

"Yes, it is very good to march by. The Marsellaise is beautiful too, and I can play it fine. Allow me to sit down next to you, Sir. I'm tired for I have marched all night. Of course I have slept a little too, in a ditch, and now I intend to walk all day."

He placed his box and a bird cage which he was carrying on his back next to him on the bench, took off his red hat and brushed it carefully with his hand. Then he pulled up his trousers and looked around.

I was silently admiring his beautiful shape, and his handsome tanned face.

"You are no Dane," I said.

"Oh, no, sir. I am from Naples, my name is Giambattista, and they call me, 'Papa from Naples.' I see you smoke tobacco, good tobacco, it smells Pramesisio. I have a good pipe, but no tobacco."

I handed him my pouch and he filled his little pipe, lit it and sat down. "You must like to walk," I said.

"Yes, I run all over the world with Tippi and Shnipp, sir. Only to earn my living. I am a model and they say that I am very well built. Besides I tell fortunes and play clarinet and thus I am able to travel all over. Wouldn't you like to see Mr. Tippi and Madam Shnipp, my two beautiful birds? It won't cost you anything. You have given me tobacco, good tobacco."

He placed the cage on his knees and opened the door and two beautiful birds came out. "Beautiful birds, aren't they, sir? Say, how do you do to the strange gentlemen, you rascals."

The birds nodded and bowed. "And now we will show the gentleman some of your tricks, won't we?"

He stuck his cane which had a small cross bar in the ground and gave the command: "Avanti!"

The birds jumped down and flew up on the stick. Then he played the Garatadi march and the birds moved in time with the music.

I told him it looked fine.

"Now Madam Shnipp will tell the gentleman his fortune. You'll let her do so? It doesn't cost anything. Only another pipe of tobacco. He produced a small pouch and opened it. M Shnipp went down into it and came back with a small scroll of paper.

"This is our fortune. Please read it."

On the paper stood in a miserable hand writing:

"Dear Friend: Don't stretch your feet any further than the length of your bed cover, for if you do you will catch cold and cough."

"That is what we say at Naples."

"Are you married?" I asked.

"Married! Yes, with the amiable M. Shnipp. No, I am not married. Sir, I haven't got a wife at all. I'm not as foolish as all that. I have sweethearts all over the world. Ladies, Misses, and servant girls. I am married in every city I visit. Sweet, little Italian girls are everywhere, but I am not married, I'm no fool. My last sweetheart was a painter in Scania, a young widow. I was her model and she sighed and cried when I wanted to leave. She wanted to put me in her cage but Giambattista is no fool, what is a wife, sir? O chain around your foot! An angel when you meet her, and a devil before you get through with her."

He looked around.

"I have been here once before," he said. "It may be about five years ago. It was in the month of July in the afternoon. I came along this road. Every now and then I stopped in front of a cottage, played a tune, and let Tippi and Shnipp show their tricks. The people had their fortunes told, and I just coined money. Dio Mio, that paid me well. Then I went further up the road, and stopped at a cottage some distance from the road, surrounded by a large garden.

I got out my clarinet and played, and kept on playing, for I knew, as I always do, that somewhere in the darkness of a room was somebody listening to me. At last when I had played "Oh Lucia! Oh, Lucia," I saw a lady at the window. She made a sign to me that I should come inside the garden.

I took off my hat and said: "With the greatest of pleasure, Bella Donna."

I went into the garden, and the lady came out. She was very tall. I am sure you have seen some of these ladies with long legs and very short bodies. She had on a large round soft straw hat, pressed down upon her forehead. I could hardly see any of her face, but I could see some of her hair in the back, and it was curly and a little gray.

"Good evening," she said, "what is your name?"

"My name is Giambattista," I told her, "but I'm also called Papa from Naples. In this cage I have two dear

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little birds. Should you like to see some of their tricks?"

She replied that she should like to and that we might go into the summer house in the corner of the garden. Well, we went into the summer house and Tippi and Shnipp did all their tricks.

"Do you want them to draw your fortune?" I said.

"That she did not want. She drew an awful deep sigh and said that there was nothing in drawing fortunes."

"How can you say that?" I asked. "I have fortunes for everybody, for princess as well as beggars and—"

"Not for me," she sighed. Well, it was not for me to contradict her when I wanted to make money. She sat very quiet for a while and looked through the garden

across the sound. I was very glad to discover that she had a large aquiline nose which I could see in profile underneath her hat. People with that kind of noses are good people, and don't you doubt it. They always give plenty of tips and want to be loved and are generally well off.

"Do you know anything about telling fortunes?" she asked.

"Why, that is my smallest trick," I replied. "I can read the lines in a hand as easy as you can read the morning paper."

"That would be very interesting," she said, with a smile; "please tell my fortune."

Now you know sir that telling fortunes is not such an easy matter. I must look straight into the face of the one whose fortune I am to tell.

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RUNS FROM SALOON UNDER YARD ENGINE

BERT GOLDER LOSES FOOT AT MILL ST. CROSSING

CAME TO CITY FOR TOOLS

Arrived on Early Morning Train and Intended Leaving Today for His Iowa Home

Hurrying from the Johnson saloon, at the Mill street crossing corner, across the tracks, evidently intending to get to the depot quickly, Bert Golder, a wood carver of 29 Eagle Point avenue, Dubuque, was run down by switch engine No. 1182, in charge of Engineer Fred Stierman and Fireman Peter Allon at 7:50 this morning and his right foot was cut off. He was otherwise bruised and severely injured.

Golder came to La Crosse from Dubuque at 3 o'clock this morning to get a bag of tools he had left here and spent some time in the saloon drinking. Just as the switch engine was approaching, he ran out of the door, and started through the gates, which were down, toward the depot. A brakeman on top of a car shouted to him, but he evidently did not hear the warning, for the next moment the engine ran him down.

He was carried to the station platform, and laid upon a truck. He retained consciousness and moaned in agony.

"Oh—it had to be this way—I'm going crazy. Oh, I would not suffer such pain. I am cold, get me a blanket," he moaned.

No blanket was available but a bystander in the crowd pulled off his coat and threw it about the injured man's shoulders.

Dr. Suiter was called and temporarily dressed the man's wounds. The ambulance arrived after a twenty-five minute wait, and hurried the injured man to the hospital.

Golder is between 35 and forty years of age and has a family in Dubuque. The foot was amputated, but the injury is not regarded as fatal.

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REV. SANDERS IS NO BETTER

There has been no improvement in the condition of Rev. L. L. Sanders, who is suffering from pneumonia at the St. Francis hospital. According to the reports given out at the hospital Mr. Sanders is in a very serious condition and his recovery is doubtful. His case is made the more serious by the fact that he has but recently undergone an operation for lung trouble and at the time of his attack was in a weakened condition.

OTHERS ON BATTLESHIPS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11.—That there are serious defects in the construction of American battleships was charged yesterday by Capt. C. McR. Winslow, assistant chief of the bureau of navigation of the navy department and Commander A. L. Key, former naval aid to President Roosevelt. The former officer said the ships under Admiral Evans were all over draft when the left Hampton roads.

In reply to a query of Senator Tillman's Capt. Winslow said that attention to conditions had been brought to the naval department.

"In 1902 I received a personal letter from Commander Sims criticizing the Kearsarge and the Kentucky and saying that there was great danger in the turrets," replied Capt. Winslow. He added that this information had been given to the department but not acted upon, possibly because the fact that there was constant change through frequent shifting of civilian secretaries.

Speed contests were also discussed. "Why should contractors be permitted to bamboozle the country with these fictitious speed tests?" asked Mr. Tillman.

They should not. That is just what I have been trying to show, replied Commander Key. The German tests, he said, were made under war conditions.

FORAKER MINORITY REPORT IN FAMOUS BROWNSVILLE SCRAPE

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 11.—The senate military affairs committee filed three reports today on the Brownsville affair. One is signed Warren, chairman, in which the democrats concurred and sustained the president. The minority reports are signed by Scott, Foraker, Bulkeley and Hemenway. One is by Foraker and Bulkeley jointly, and completely vindicates the soldiers. It says the evidence is unreliable and contradictory, and does not prove the soldiers did the shooting. It recommends legislation restoring them to their rights.

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OFFICIAL BOARD VOTES FOR FINE NEW STRUCTURE

A SITE TO BE SELECTED

Plans for Church and Extent of Expenditure Not Divulged As Yet.

At a meeting of the official board of the Caledonia street M. E. church held last evening it was decided to appropriate funds for the purchase of a new site for a church and as soon as the site is decided upon a splendid new church will be erected. At a meeting of the official board of the Caledonia street M. E. church held last evening it was decided to appropriate funds for the purchase of a new site for a church and as soon as the site is decided upon a splendid new church will be erected. The church on Caledonia street is old, having been built nearly fifty years ago, and with the growth of the population is become inadequate. The chief things wanted is more room for Sunday school and a more modern equipment. The present building has been added to until there is very little left of the old church and the decision to buy a site and rebuild is the result.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dugan of West La Crosse are the parents of a baby girl which arrived Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Krowl of West La Crosse are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Sunday.

Mr. Peter Loomis, 512 Hagar street, has gone to Milwaukee on a business mission. His shop will be closed for a few days during his absence.

Miss Anna Vaundry has returned to her home, 1933 Onalaska avenue, after a few days' visit with relatives and friends in Green Coulee.

Mr. P. Brochy of Mabel, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. D. Jensen, 2142 Kane street.

Mrs. O. Ulyen of Iron River and daughters, Misses Olga and Mildred, are guests at the home of Mr. John Nelson, 2401 Prospect street.

Mrs. O. Gaskill is ill with la grippe at her home, 2129 Kane street.

Miss Anna Anthak of Houghton, Mich., is spending a few days as the guest of Mrs. M. Anderson, 2116 Kane street.

Mrs. A. Brady, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Davis in Dexter, Ill., has returned to her home, 1416 Caledonia street. Mrs. Davis returned to La Crosse with her mother and will spend some time visiting here.

Mr. Joseph Conway, who has been employed at Hornersville, has returned to his home on the North side.

The ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nichols of 815 Prospect street, is ill with pneumonia.

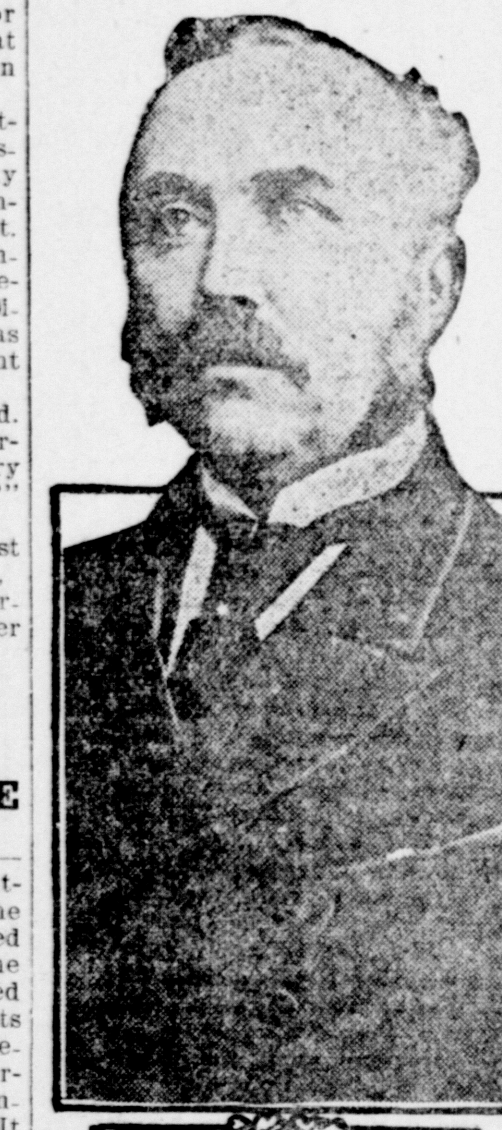
Mrs. O. Brown of 1709 Prospect street has gone to Denver, Colo., to visit her son, Albert.

Mrs. F. C. Jones, 2208 Loomis street, is confined to her home with La Grippe.

Three children of Mrs. Kish of New Albin are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Kish, at her home, 1728 Loomis street.

With the warm weather that has been prevailing here for the last few days the ice in Black river between the French Island and the Milwaukee railroad bridges has all disappeared and the skiffs were seen this morning, a number of young men taking the first ride.

BANNERMAN MAY HAVE TO RETIRE



It is feared that Premier Campbell Bannerman of England may have to retire from daily work. He is recovering very slowly from a severe attack of grippe and his general health is by no means good.

FOIL CRANK WITH NITRO-GLYCERINE

OMAHA BANKER'S NERVE SAVED MANY LIVES

INVITED HIM TO DINE

When Explosive Was Shown Cool Head Checks Crime Until Police Act

OMAHA, Neb., March 11.—An unknown anarchist entered the Merchants National bank of this city yesterday and demanded a large sum of money, at the same time displaying a bottle believed to contain nitro-glycerine and threatening to blow up the bank if his request was not complied with. The man asked to see Vice President Luther Drake in his private office.

Mr. Drake seated himself opposite the man, who began talking in a rambling manner about having had \$5,000 in the National Bank of Commerce in Kansas City when that bank failed. "And since all you fellows are in together, you had just better hand me over my money or I'll blow you and this bank and all of us to hell," suddenly said the fellow, producing a three-ounce bottle containing a thick yellow liquid.

"Don't make a move. This is filled with nitro-glycerine. If you move you are a dead man."

"You don't want to die yourself, do you?" coolly asked Drake.

"Oh, yes. I came in here ready to die," responded the stranger, "but when I die, I'll take everybody in this building with me."

"Well, I'll go and get you the money," said Drake, rising from his chair.

"Sit down," said the anarchist. "If you get up again without permission I'll just drop this bottle. You know what will happen."

Drake sat down.

Drake then told the man he would talk it over with him and the stranger accepted, all the time keeping the bottle in his hand and within sight.

Noticing that the man seemed thin and pinched, Drake asked him if he wasn't hungry.

"I have been studying over this matter for several days and have not eaten a thing for forty-eight hours," answered the man with the bottle.

"Well, let's go have breakfast and talk this over," proposed Drake.

"All right, but don't you try any monkey business or you are a dead man," replied the anarchist.

President Hamilton, of the bank, entered the next room during the conversation and heard enough of it to enable him to know what was going on.

As Drake and the stranger left the room together Hamilton telephoned the police station for plain clothes men and followed the two men to a nearby restaurant.

Drake and the man were on opposite sides of the table when three detectives, accompanied by Hamilton, entered the room.

Slipping up behind the stranger, the detectives pinioned his arms and relieved him of his bottle before he knew what was up.

He was then taken to the police station. There he refused to talk. The bottle was sent to a chemist for analysis of the contents.

The Sunday School Workers' conference of the Caledonia street M. E. church, which consists of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school, met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Van Berg on Avon street.

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Mr. John Adams, 94 years old, of Gardner, Me., enjoys health and vigor of both Brain and Body.

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OTHERS AT VARIOUS PRICES

PAPA FROM NAPLES

(Continued from page 3.)

for I read much more in the face than in the hand. That is the secret of my art. I asked her to take off her big hat. After some hesitation she did so and I nearly fell over. Do you understand, sir? Well, how shall I explain it? Listen. If you imagine a strong featured man's head placed upon an exceedingly well developed woman's bust, then you will know just about how she looked. She must have been about forty years old. Oh, I thought, you are not married, and the way you look you are not very apt to find a husband, either.

I took her hand and looked at it. "You have no husband," I said.

"That is true," she replied. "How did you know that?"

"That is my art, signorina. And you will never have a husband."

My words shocked her. She pulled back her hand and looked at me straight in the face.

"Why should I want a husband," she cried. "I am a woman who has money enough, who doesn't need any body to provide for her."

"Very true," I said.

"And besides, all men are rascals more or less," she mumbled. "If a girl who is no longer young and who has money receives a proposal, its only because the man has figured out that he needs her money, and has got to take her in the bargain."

I took off my hat and said: "Signorina, your words are the words of wisdom. Very few women are as wise as you are."

"Why should I want a husband," she agreed, "do I need anybody to boss me?"

She stamped her foot.

"A man is a chain around our feet," I said—but a pretty child is a darling, and a great consolation."

She laughed.

"You have a peculiar way of expressing yourself," she said.

I told her how it is in Naples. There every girl and every woman wants to become a mother, and they all pray: "Oh dear God in heaven let us have a child, even if it has to be a black one."

As a rule heaven grants their prayers, and if it shouldn't then the young wife or girls catch a devil fish, boil it, and hold their nose over the steam coming from the pot. This always helps, and they all get little black eyed babies. Yes, even the furniture in the room where the devil fish is boiled get children. The big bed gives birth to a cradle, and the big table to a little table.

She laughed and clapped her hands.

"You are really a funny fellow," she said.

"But what I tell you is true, Signorina," I said. "I have found the recipe in an old scientific cook book."

"Really?"

But when she had laughed enough she asked me to play a tune to her and I played for a long time, playing every tune that came to me and many tunes of my own. The lady sat silently listening close to me.

"Beautiful, very beautiful," she said, "but all your tunes are so sad."

"Signorina, I can also play jolly airs."

"No, I have had enough now. Now you must tell me something for I am sure you have seen a good many things."

"Yes, dio mio, that I have, but I can't tell everything that I have seen."

She came close to me and I told her many things, and all the stories I told her were of love.

It was almost dark now and very hot. I took off my hat and drew a deep breath, and before I knew it the woman had thrown her arms around my neck and drawn me to her bosom.

I sat there in the quiet evening close to her and petted her early hair with my hand. "Cara mia—Cara mia," I said, and she kissed me.

The next day she threw me out. "Go far away, Giambattista," she said, "and never let me see you again."

But Giambattista laughed I can

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ARCHBISHOP IS PREY OF ANARCHIST



Archbishop Farley, whose picture is here shown, who it was said to have been threatened with death by the anarchists whom it appears have come to have bloodshed and murder in this country.

MORMON CONFERENCE HELD HERE MARCH 17

The elders of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints laboring in Wisconsin are to hold a conference in La Crosse in the Woodman hall, Linker building, on the 17th and 18th of March at 7:45 p. m.

President German E. Elknorth, of the Northern States Mission and President D. G. Edmunds of the Wisconsin conference and eighteen traveling elders will be in attendance.

Interesting addresses upon the subject of Mormonism will be delivered by able defenders of the faith. A fine musical program has been arranged.

The public is invited to attend. Seats will be free and no collection will be taken up.

95,000 OWN STEEL TRUST

NEW YORK, March 11.—Stockholders of the United States Steel corporation, it is announced, have reached the aggregate of 95,000, the largest in its history. The increase in the number of stockholders since last summer has been larger than in any similar period since the organization of the company in 1900.

DID CONSTITUTION FOLLOW THE FLAG

MADISON, Wis., March 11.—(Special.)—Where is the original copy of the constitution of Wisconsin passed in 1848?

This question has puzzled state officials for years. Those interested in old documents have long applied at the office of the secretary of state, but it cannot be located. At the office is a neatly copied constitution, rolled and kept in an air-tight tin can. The names signed to the document, however, are not the signatures of the signers, but are the hand-printed names of the signers arranged by counties. It is believed the original copy of the constitution was sent to the printer when the labors of the convention were finished, and never returned.

THOUSANDS TO GET WORK

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 11.—Several thousand unemployed men of this city will be given work on public improvements in about a month by the passage of the \$10,000,000 loan. Councils will authorize the floating of the loan at the next meeting and Mayor Rebyurn will advertise for bids immediately.

SHARON, Pa., March 11.—The American Sheet and Tin Plate company announce the resumption of the tin plate mill here March 16, affecting 1,200 hands.

MORSE PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO CHARGES

NEW YORK, March 11.—Chas. W. Morse and Alfred H. Curtis, of the National Bank of North America, indicted by the federal grand jury on 29 counts, charging conspiracy to defraud, were arraigned this morning. They pleaded not guilty and gave bond.

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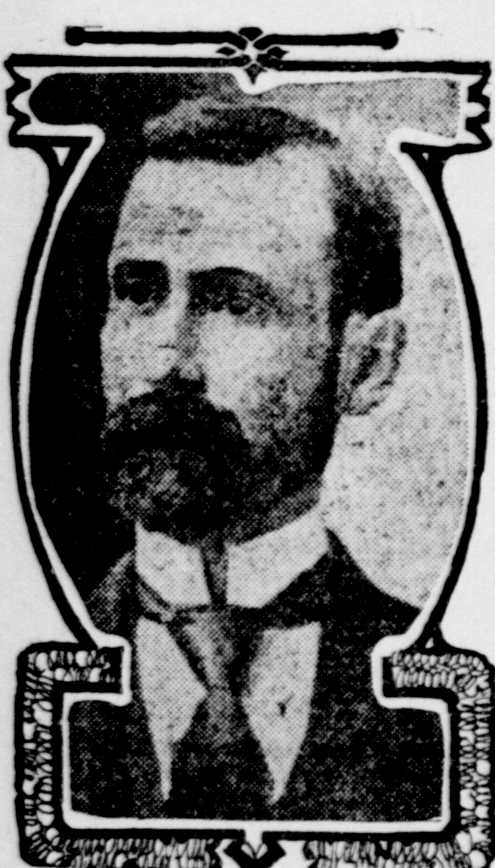
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ICE KING STUNG BY GRAND JURY



This picture of Wesley M. Oler, president of the American Ice Co., who has been examined by the grand jury in New York. Contracts, letters and other documents were examined also.

SURPRISE PARTY.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Caledonia street M. E. church pleasantly surprised Mrs. Harvey Bunn of Berlin street yesterday afternoon. It was a farewell surprise, for Mr. and Mrs. Bunn will soon go to Madella, Minn., to make their home. The afternoon was most enjoyable and Mrs. Bunn was presented with a beautiful picture as a token of the esteem in which she is held.

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OFFICIAL SCHEDULE OF SOUTHEASTERN

Superintendent Peter Valier of the La Crosse & Southeastern road announces that on March 15 there will be a change of time of the trains on that road and that the following official schedule will be in effect after Sunday inclusive:

Schedule.

West Bound—
No. 1 mixed, daily except Sunday, leave Viroqua 7:30 a. m., arrive La Crosse 10:10 a. m.
No. 3 passenger, daily except Sunday, leaves Viroqua 4:10 p. m., arrive La Crosse 6:10 p. m.
No. 21 passenger, Sunday only, leave Viroqua 7:10 a. m., arrive La Crosse 9:10 a. m.
No. 23 passenger, Sunday only, leave Viroqua 5:30 p. m., arrive La Crosse 7:30 p. m.
East Bound—
No. 2 passenger, daily except Sunday, leave La Crosse 7:35 a. m., arrive Viroqua 9:35 a. m.
No. 4 mixed, daily except Sunday, leave La Crosse 3:40 p. m., arrive Viroqua 6:20 p. m.
No. 22 passenger, Sunday only, leave La Crosse 7:35 a. m., arrive Viroqua 9:35 a. m.
No. 24 passenger, Sunday only, leave La Crosse 6:30 p. m., arrive Viroqua 8:30 p. m.
Their new time table, the seventh since the construction of the road a few years ago, will be out in a few days.

Business Increasing.

During the past few days' business on the road has been increasing necessitating the inauguration of another train and the subsequent change of the time table.

LIGHT BREAKS IN

Thoughtful Farmer Learns About Coffee.

Many people exist in a more or less hazy condition and it often takes years before they realize that coffee is the cause of the cloudiness, and that there is a simple way to let the light break in.

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"For about forty years, I have had indigestion and stomach trouble in various forms. During the last 25 years I would not more than get over one spell of bilious colic until another would be on me.

"The best doctors I could get and all the medicines I could buy, only gave me temporary relief.

"Change of climate was tried without results. I could not sleep nights, had rheumatism and my heart would palpitate at times so that it seemed it would jump out of my body.

"I came to the conclusion that there was no relief for me and that I was about worn out, when I saw a Postum advertisement. I had always been a coffee drinker, and got an idea from the ad. that maybe coffee was the cause of my trouble.

"I began to drink Postum instead of coffee and in less than three weeks I felt like a new man. The rheumatism left me, and I have never had a spell of bilious colic since.

"My appetite is good, my digestion never was better and I can do more work than before for 40 years. 'I haven't tasted coffee since I began with Postum. My wife makes it according to directions and I relish it as well as I ever did coffee, and I was certainly a slave to coffee.' 'There's a Reason.'

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CITY NEWS

CHANGE SUNDAY—The revised schedule on the Southeastern is effective Sunday.

LANESBORO WET—At the election at Lanesboro yesterday the town voted that Lanesboro should go wet. Houston went dry with a majority of 37 votes and Whalen dried up with four votes.

USE COAL AT ASYLUM—After experimenting with coal as fuel at the county asylum during the winter the trustees have decided that hereafter coal will be the fuel for heating the building.

ATTENDING MEETING—Henry Gund, of the John Gund Brewing company, is in Milwaukee attending the annual meeting of the Wisconsin Brewers' association, now in session at that city.

TEAM SOLD—A valuable team of bays were sold by Clark & Clark yesterday to Mr. Johnson of Eau Claire, Wis.

VIOLIN SOLO—Albert Weimar has been engaged to render a violin solo at the lecture at the English Lutheran church tomorrow evening.

FUNERAL TOMORROW—The funeral of the late W. E. Webster, who died at the age of 95 years, will be held from the residence tomorrow morning.

FRIENDS PLACARD BRIDAL CARRIAGE

Despite the efforts of Hugo Kurz and Miss Christine Beranek to evade their friends and to hold their marriage quietly, they were followed by a number of young people and while the ceremony was being performed in Judge Brindley's private office at the court house their carriage was neatly and quickly decorated with signs announcing that "We just got married."

Mr. Kurz is a well known young man of Snyder, Nebraska, and is prosperous in business there. Miss Beranek, who is a La Crosse girl, is well known and has many friends in the city.

The ceremony was performed yesterday afternoon.

COMMITTEE NAMED TO BOOST GOODS

Thomas Stavrum, of the Merchants' Protective association; C. E. Wenzel, of the Retail Grocers' association, and J. S. Medary, of the Manufacturers' and Jobbers' union, were named yesterday afternoon by C. J. Felber, president of the Merchants' Protective association as a special committee to outline a plan to promote the sale of home made goods in pursuance to action taken at the conference last Friday.

This committee will meet in the near future and outline some practical plan to reach the consumers in the campaign of education to buy home made goods.

SURPRISE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Downing were pleasantly surprised at their home on Onalaska avenue Saturday by a number of their friends, the occasion being the 63rd birthday of Mr. Downing. The evening was spent in various forms of amusement and everyone enjoyed a good time.

Read The Tribune Sporting News.

PERSONALS

J. N. Cole of this city is among the La Crosse guests registered at the Milwaukee hotels.

Mrs. Will Emily is making an extended visit with relatives at New Hartford, Minn.

Mrs. M. Cavanaugh is teaching at the First district school during the illness of Miss Edna Tarbox.

J. F. Walsh of Rockford is in the city calling on friends for a few days.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

H. P. Michel of West Salem is spending a few days in the city with friends.

J. W. King of Lodi, Wis., is spending a few days in the city on a business mission.

George Schroeder of Viola is in the city for a few days calling on friends.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Vig of Viroqua are the guests of friends and relatives in the city.

P. E. Rumsey of Sparta is in the city calling on friends for a few days.

Misses Amy and Mary Canting of Arcadia are the guests of friends in the city.

S. F. Nelson of Lanesboro is spending a few days in the city renewing acquaintances.

If you want a carriage, get the Gateway City Transfer line. Phone 179.

W. B. Irvine of Galesville was calling on business acquaintances in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Nyebel of Spring Grove are the guest of friends in the city.

P. V. Ryan of Caledonia was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Fine lunch served Saturday night and Sunday at Blitner's place, 912 So. 3rd.

N. C. Voight of Mabel has returned home after transacting business in the city.

Misses Marie and Myrtle Hillard of Lodi, Wis., are the guests of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

P. J. Riley of Austin was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. Mills of Preston is the guest of relatives and friends in La Crosse.

George Dodds has returned to his home in Winona after transacting business in the city.

Mrs. C. M. Anderson has returned to her home in Preston after visiting friends in the city.

F. Winding of Caledonia is spending a few days in the city on a business mission.

Gus. Marking of Bloomington was a business caller in the city for a short time yesterday.

B. B. Mercer of West Salem has returned home after visiting friends in the city. He was accompanied by his wife.

Ira J. McConnel of Spring Valley is in the city for a few days' visit with friends.

J. O. Gregg of Burlington is spending a few days in the city on a business mission.

Engineer J. T. Gorman of the Madison division of the Northwestern road has returned to the city and will run on this division.

Contractor Nelson left today for Madison on a business mission.

W. C. Wood of Madison is in the city for a few days calling on business acquaintances.

OFFICE TEAM TAKES TWO OF 3 GAMES

A series of three games were rolled last evening in the Vote-Berger league at the Hunt's alley, resulting in the Office team defeating the Switchboard team two of the three games rolled.

The score:

Office—				
O. Lundgren	142	154	135	431
J. Lundgren	148	114	135	397
D. Griffith	73	92	74	239
Shadbolt	107	123	101	331
Darling	143	120	91	354
	613	603	536	

Switchboard—

Mayer	93	72	106	271
Wallace	120	97	128	345
Enochs	98	97	107	302
Pfeifer	98	93	140	331
Pfeifer	97	138	113	348
	516	497	604	

QUIET REIGNS AT BARCELONA TODAY

BARCELONA, Spain, March 11.—King Alfonso is the guest of the flag-ship of the Austrian fleet today. The city is orderly. The king will return to Madrid today. It is said the constitutional guarantees that were recently withdrawn may be returned to the city should quiet continue.

PERSIAN TROUBLE CONTINUES

ST. PETERSBURG, March 11.—The Turkish-Persian trouble talk has been resumed and the Turkish embassy at Teheran has been closed abruptly.

ANNA GOULD SAILS TODAY.

CHERBOURG, France, March 11.—Anna Gould sails at 5 o'clock this afternoon for New York on the Adriatic, her children accompanying her. Prince Halle de Sagan's movements are unknown, but that he will accompany her or follow her is admitted here.

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SOCIETY

AFTERNOON COMPANIES

Mrs. T. A. Lavake of 138 South Tenth street is hostess this week at a series of enjoyable companies. The first one was yesterday afternoon when twelve ladies were entertained at a coffee. Similar gatherings will be held the remaining days of the week.

PICNIC SUPPER

The Ladies' society of the Congregational church will hold a picnic supper in the church parlors Thursday afternoon.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The W. F. M. S. will hold a literary and social gathering in the parlors of the church Friday afternoon and evening.

A program and social session will occupy the afternoon and supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

This is one of the few occasions when the W. F. M. S. desires outside aid and every one will be welcome.

INFORMAL LUNCHEON

Mrs. F. A. Holbrook, 1627 Ferry street, entertained at an informal luncheon on Monday for her daughter, Mrs. Maurice F. Miller, who is here on a visit from Chicago. Mrs. Miller will return to her home next Monday.

MEN'S CLUB

The F. M. C. club of the German M. E. church entertained the men of the church last evening in the church parlors. An interesting program was had, including a debate on "Resolved, that the Northwest Saengerfest will be a benefit to La Crosse," which proved very interesting. The affirmative won. After the program refreshments were served.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

A social gathering which proved a very delightful affair, was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. M. French on Ferry street in honor of her birthday, when a large number of lady friends gathered to celebrate the event. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Mesdames Rodemeyer, Wenner, Dr. Cohen, Holst, Tracy, Sogel, Sexauer, Sturz, Gruber, Foerster, Merman and Ulschner.

PLEASANT SURPRISE

Miss Susie Falk was pleasantly surprised Monday evening at her home, 1507 Jackson street, by a number of her friends in honor of her 19th birthday. A bountiful supper was served at midnight.

Those present were: John Daley, Frank Appel, Arthur Roehr, Will Hanson, Robert Smith, James Daley, and George Hanson; Misses Ada Roeher, Thea Falk, Hazel Jones, Emma Schoenfeld, Sila Falk, Lilly Roeher, Miss Daley and Susie Falk.

HOP AND CARD PARTY.

A hop and card party will be given by the Knights of Pythias in their new hall, on Friday evening.

WEDDED TODAY

This morning Mrs. Henrietta Detrick, 1937 Madison street, and Mr. Robert Small of Viroqua were united in marriage by Rev. Andreas. The ceremony took place at 10:30.

SOCIAL BREVITIES

Miss Martha Irish of Baraboo, who has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Irish, left on Monday for her home. Miss Irish will be married the latter part of April to Mr. Charles F. Carnott of New York city, and they will sail the first part of May for St. Johns, Newfoundland. They will have charge of the "Deep Sea Fisherman's Institute," a religious institution under the auspices of Dr. Grenfell, who has had great success in this work. Mr. Irish's father, who was also here visiting, returned to Baraboo yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Adams have returned from Lockport, Ill., where they have been visiting for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. L. Frink of Faribault, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. James McCord on Cass street.

Dr. Bernard C. Dorset leaves this evening for St. Peter, Minn., where he will be assistant physician at the state hospital at that place.

THREE I MAY OUST PRESIDENT HOLLAND

CHICAGO, March 11.—The Three I league met at the Sherman House this morning. Edward Holland, president, was opposed for re-election by some of the clubs who are dissatisfied with her conduct in the Dubuque case. M. H. Sexton, a former president, and Frank D. Fox are possibilities. One more vote is needed to make a change. The fixing of the schedule is under way, and an endeavor is being made to divide the holiday games fairly.

KILLIAN HERE

Catcher Killian is in the city from Sterling, Ill., and today called on Manager "Pink" Hawley. Killian is recognized as one of the fastest catchers in this section of the country.

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LIGHT VOTE CAST AT CALEDONIA

CALEDONIA, Minn., March 11.—(Special.)—The annual village election was held here yesterday. There was no opposition to the census ticket nominated Saturday evening. License was not an issue and consequently but a light vote was cast, only 100 persons exercising their right of franchise. The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President of the village council, Joseph Vossen; members of the village council, Leonard Hill, H. J. Flexrud and Jerry Kenny; treasurer, Thomas Buckley; clerk, Chas. A. Dorival; assessor, Edward Crotty; justice of the peace, A. J. Flynn; constable, J. P. Palen.

COWS ARE FOUND TO BE HEALTHY

The herd of cattle owned by Mrs. Lars Jensen, 1347 George street, was examined by Veterinarian Holmes today and every cow was found to be in the best possible condition. The tests were made before noon and no symptoms whatever were found.

The cow owned by Herman Johnson, 2130 George street, which was said to be affected was examined and found to be sound.

OPEN NORMAL SCHOOL BIDS TOMORROW

The regular meeting of the Regents of the State Normal schools was called today at Madison. Bids for the new La Crosse Normal school will be opened tomorrow. Thomas Morris is in attendance and left yesterday.

REVOLT IS SQUELCHED.

CROOKSTON, Minn., March 11.—Attorney William E. Rowe, appointed vice president of the Ninth congressional district by the Bryan organization for control of the state delegation, received a wire message and rumors are current among democratic politicians that he has received notice of abandonment by Bryan's adherents of the attempt to control the delegation from this state. Notwithstanding the influence of Committeeman Martin O'Brien, signs of revolt were beginning to appear here from the state organization.

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STATE OF FUNDS OF THE INDIANS

CONGRESSMAN ESCH REPORTS
HIS RESEARCHES

WINNEBAGOES IN PETITION

Asked Accounting of Tribal Monies
and Report of Indian Affairs Dept.
is Forwarded to Winter

Attorney Frank Winter, sent a petition to Congressman J. J. Esch at Washington, signed by about sixty members of the Winnebago Indian tribe in which the capitalization of funds belonging to the Winnebago tribe was challenged. Congressman Esch forwarded the petition to the office of Indian affairs in the department of the interior, which at once took the matter up and the investigation was made.

Attorney Winter has received the following answer from Congressman Esch at Washington given by F. E. Leupp, commissioner on the Indian affairs at the department of the interior and which will hold considerable interest to those caring for the welfare of the Winnebago Indians.

The letter follows:
"I am in receipt of your letter of the 13th instant, enclosing a protest signed by some sixty members of the Winnebago Indians in your district in relation to the capitalization of the funds belonging to all the Winnebago Indians, and asking that the objections as set forth in the protest be fully and carefully examined and the result sent to you, as you desire to send the information you may receive to leading Indians in your district, etc.

Investment of Funds
"In answer I report that the history of the trust funds of the Winnebago Indians is as follows: Par. 9 of article 4 of the treaty with the Winnebagoes (7 Stats. p. 545) provides: 'To invest the balance of the proceeds of the lands ceded in the first article of this treaty, amounting to eleven hundred thousand dollars (\$1,100,000) and to guarantee to them an interest of not less than five per cent.' 'Under the act of July 15, 1870, (16 Stats. p. 355) the sum of \$200,000 was placed to the credit of the Winnebagoes at 5 per cent per annum to be expended under the direction of the secretary of the interior, etc.

"In section 10 of the act of July 15, 1870 (16 Stats. p. 361) it is provided that if any of the Winnebagoes desire to become citizens of the United States, they shall make application to the judge of the district court of the United States for the district of Minnesota, and furnish certain evidence specified, and upon satisfactory proof, they shall be declared to be citizens of the United States which declaration shall be entered of record and a certificate given to the party upon presentation of said certificate to the secretary of the interior with satisfactory proof of identity, 'he may at the request of such person or persons * * * and may at the same time cause to be paid to them their proportion of all the monies and effects of said tribe held in trust by or under the provisions of any treaty or law of the United States,' etc.

Cash Payments Made
"Under this act payments from the principal were made from time to time to Winnebagoes who became citizens of the United States, of their shares; also \$100,000 of the principal was paid in cash in 1872 to them, reducing the principal of both funds to \$883,249.58 belonging to the Winnebagoes in Nebraska and Wisconsin.

"The act of January 18, 1881 (21 Stats. p. 215) being an act for the relief of the Winnebago Indians in Wisconsin, provided that a settlement be made between those in Nebraska and those in Wisconsin, under which act certain sums were found due to those in Wisconsin by the Nebraska Winnebagoes, part of which were paid as fully detailed in the act. Under section 4 of said act an account was stated between the two bands based upon the census provided for in said act, charging the Winnebagoes in Nebraska with the full amount found to be due the Wisconsin Winnebagoes and the amount actually expended for them, 'and balance found in favor of the Winnebagoes of Wisconsin whatever the amount may be shall hereafter be held and considered as a debt due them from that portion of the tribe residing in Nebraska,' and not less than \$7,000 was to be deducted annually from the share of the Nebraska Winnebagoes until the debt should be paid.

Nebraska Owes Wisconsin
"The census was taken and it was found that there were 2,613 Winnebagoes, 1,433 in Nebraska and 1,180 in Wisconsin; and since that time those in Nebraska have received annually 1423-2613 of \$44,162.47, and those in Wisconsin 1180-2613 of that amount, or \$19,943.25. It was also found that there was due the Winnebagoes of Wisconsin from those in Nebraska \$220,969.91, which were to be paid in annual installments of \$7,000 to the Wisconsin Winnebagoes. Twenty-two installments of \$7,000 each, amounting to \$154,000, have been paid, and there remains to be due them from July 1, 1908, \$66,969.91. Of course, should congress appropriate the principal funds due the Winnebagoes, this balance of \$66,969.91 is to be paid to the Wisconsin Winnebagoes from the share of the principal of the Nebraska Winnebagoes.

"In relation to your inquiry as to the sale of tribal lands in what is known as the White Earth Indian reservation in Minnesota and the interest the Winnebago Indians have had in said lands, I would say that the act of February 21, 1863 (12 Stats. p. 658) provided for the sale of certain Winnebago lands in Min-

MAKE OUR ARMY DOPE LIKE JAPAN

WASHINGTON, March 11.—To make the medical department of the army of the United States as effective as the medical branch of the Japanese army is the purpose of a bill for the reorganization of the medical corps and the increase of its efficiency which has been introduced in the house by Representative Cocks of New York at the instance of Major Louis Livingston Seaman of New York, who has gained much attention from time to time by his criticism of the medical methods of the American army.

Dr. Seaman has spent much time in the far east and personally saw the workings of the medical force of the Japanese army in the war with Russia. He was amazed by its efficiency. He came back to this country full of the subject and at once began a crusade for improvements in the medical department of the army of the United States. The bill recently introduced is the result of his observations in the far east and his study of the needs of armies in a medical way. What he says of the success of the Japanese in keeping their troops in good health and in preventing the ravages of diseases of the camp satisfied him there are far-reaching possibilities in a properly organized medical department.

One has but to turn to the record of sickness and death from camp diseases in the civil war and the Spanish war, according to Dr. Seaman, to convict the medical department of the United States army as a hopeless failure. On the other hand, he declares that Japan's greatest triumphs in the late war with Russia were in the medical field and the field of the humanities.

"By careful preparation and organization," says Dr. Seaman, "by the use of simple, easily digested rations for her troops, and the application of practical sanitation by a fully equipped and empowered medical department, she almost obliterated infections and preventable diseases from her army, and saved its ultimate strength for the legitimate purposes of war, to-wit, the smashing of the enemy in the field."

Dr. Seaman pointed out mortality from disease and wounds was reduced over 30 per cent in the Japanese army and the Russian prisoners were given the same care as the Japanese.

By the bill just introduced, it is proposed to give the medical department the fullest authority over sanitation and hygiene, over transportation of medical supplies and to make it supreme in seeing to the healthfulness of the camp. Medical officers are given rank suited to the importance of their duties and a pharmacy department and medical inspectors are provided for.

PRIVATE PRESERVES TO SPOIL THE TROUT FISHING IN STATE

MADISON, Wis., March 11.—Brook trout fishing which to most sportsmen is the most fascinating of all forms of fishing will, it is believed, be a thing of the past in Wisconsin unless the state interferes to save it. The danger lies not in the passing of the trout but in the fact that the best streams are being taken as preserves by private individuals, and the public are thus deprived of the privilege of fishing in them. Should the state park board succeed in inducing the state to purchase for park purposes several large tracts of land in the northern part of the state, which include miles of trout streams, the public will then have preserved for them free trout fishing privileges for all time. The state park proposition contemplates the preservation for the free use of the public all these attractive privileges.

CITY TO DO OWN PAVING.
PITTSBURG, Pa., March 11.—The councils refused to issue bonds on Monday to the amount of \$750,000 for street repaving, it being proposed to have the city do the work dividing it among the city's unemployed.

nesota, and that certain certificates of indebtedness issued by the commissioner of Indian affairs for the debts of said Indians should be received in payment for the land. Of the money received there remains on the books of this office the sum of \$18,294.61; but it can not be paid, without a full examination, whether this money belongs to the whole Winnebago tribe or to only part of it."



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JOINT DECLAMATORY CONTEST ON FRIDAY

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STRONG TEAMS FOR BOTH

More Letters Are Received From
Prospective Coaches—Report
Cards Go to the Parents

The Wendell-Phillips and Lincoln-Douglas Debating societies are going to hold a joint declamatory contest next Friday evening at the High school. Some of the best declaimers in the school will take part and both societies are very confident of winning the contest.

The contestants from the Lincoln-Douglas Debating society are Irving Tuteur, Norman Kelly and Howard Jones, and those from the Wendell-Phillips are Wm. Stevenson, Emil Krause and George Barrett. The judges for the contest have not yet been selected, but they will probably be business men of the city. There will be no debates by the two societies on Friday evening on account of the declamations.

On March 20 the Lincoln-Douglas Debating society will debate the question "Resolved, that Roosevelt's dictatorial attitude in matters legislative is detrimental to the best interests of the United States." The affirmative will be upheld by Stavrum and Bjornstad and Esch, and Neprud will talk for the negative. The work of debating and declamation has taken a strong hold upon the school and henceforth this line of work will be paid more attention to. The inter-class declamatory and oratorical contest is soon to come off. The winners of the separate classes will compete for the championship of the school and the three best in the school will compete against Sparta in the latter part of April.

More Replies From Coaches.
Captain Tourtellotte of the High school eleven yesterday received five replies from coaches he had written to in quest of a man to coach the High school team through the coming season. All were good men and every one of them has had at least two years of active playing on some good college eleven. One letter was received from a Yale man who had played two years on that team. Three replies came from the Chicago university and one from Dartmouth college. A selection will be made as soon as all who were written to have answered.

Report Cards This Week.
The report cards for the quarter semester will be sent home to the parents of those pupils who have failed to make the required mark in any studies. The number of failures at the school was unusually large this five weeks, but they were evidently due to the spring fever with which every school boy and girl is affected at this time of the year.

CANADA THINKS WELL OF CANAL

(Continued from Page One).

via the Georgian Bay canal it would be only 4,123 miles, a saving of 806 miles via the Georgian Bay, Ottawa and Montreal. Much of the proposed route would be through deep lakes or wide river expansions, so that the construction of the proposed canal would involve the canalization of only 275 miles.

It is computed that the route will be about two days faster for each trip from the head of the lakes to an ocean port than any other route, apart also from its advantages in having an enormous superiority as to carrying capacity. This would naturally have a great tendency to reduce transportation rates on grain and other products and in case of congestion at the terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William, at the head of Lake Superior, before the close of navigation, the great depth of the waterway would enable the largest lake boats to reach an ocean port fully loaded without breaking bulk.

Preservation of Food.
Further advantages of the proposed canal from the Canadian standpoint are that it will be wholly in Canadian territory and that its northern latitude will be of some advantage for the transportation of perishable foodstuffs in the hot season as compared with the southern route through Chicago and the Mississippi river if the deep waterway project from the great lakes to the gulf is realized.

Probably nowhere is the Georgian Bay canal project being watched with more keen attention than by the inland waterways commission of the United States. With Canada seemingly bent on providing a quick outlet for her northwest through this canal, the commission is impressed more strongly than ever with the necessity of furthering various great waterway projects in this country, such as the waterway from the great lakes to the gulf. With the Canadian northwest searching for more speedy routes to reach the sea, not alone by the Georgian Bay canal, but over the line the Canadian Northern is building from the interior of northwest Canada to Hudson's Bay, whence steamers can sail direct to Europe, the importance of looking after water outlets for the interior of the United States to the seaboard becomes, in the opinion of members of the commission, greatly enhanced.

RHODE ISLAND FOR HUGHES.

WATERBURY, Conn., March 11.—Gov. James H. Higgins of Rhode Island stated in an interview here that in his opinion Rhode Island republicans would support the candidacy of Gov. Hughes for the presidency.

JOHNSON CLAIMS HE WAS CARING FOR HER

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PAINTER TRIED FOR ASSAULT

Tells Wild Tale in Court of How
Bertha Mix Insisted Upon Having
Booze After Theater Party

Charles H. Johnson, who in county court this morning was accused by District Attorney Bosshard of having six children and a wife residing outside the city and who was found guilty of committing assault and battery on one Bertha Mix, both of them being intoxicated at the time, was fined \$20 and costs or 30 days in jail by Judge John Brindley.

Attorney Skaar defended the case and the large audience of men, Bertha Mix being the only girl in the room, were interested in the testimony given by Johnson.

Johnson said he went to her home on an evening when it was raining and asked her if she did not wish to go to the show.

"She said she would if it were not raining. She finally went in the house and got ready. I waited about 15 minutes for her outside until she came out. We took the car to the show and got off on Jay street. We had a beer. When we went home we stopped in and she wanted whiskey, she did not want beer."

"When we passed two more saloons I shaded one with my umbrella so she would not see it, but she saw the other and went in and had another beer. I left and went outside as soon as I had finished mine and she soon came out and we started for home. She began to scream and cry soon afterward and I wondered what was the matter. I have been going with her over two years. When we got out on Twelfth street she screamed louder than ever."

Neighbors in that vicinity were all awakened at 1 a. m. by her screams. Two young men who reside in that territory came out and assisted her to her feet. The man said that he had sent her ahead and that he was following her at a distance of about a block and a half so that he could see that she reached home safely.

The plaintiff said that she was dragged along about 30 feet. She said the two young men jumped on Johnson and he shook them off and he said that he hit one.

Johnson testified he did not want to fight, but that the two men were aching to fight. He said that he did not injure nor strike her, but the young men who saw him also testified that he called her names.

Attorney Skaar made a great fight for his client, but the weight of the evidence was against him. The girl is said to have been in court several times and is at present employed at the residence of W. King, the painter, at Seventeenth and Market street. Johnson said that he was asked to take care of the girl, and produced letters to that effect from her brother, William Mix, who formerly lived here, and whom Johnson said knew him well.

Johnson is a painter and has lived in this city for about three years. Attorney Skaar suggested that a case of assault and battery might be brought against the two young men who pummeled Johnson.

RFOMELO ERICKSON DIES IN TEXAS

The news of the death of Romeo Erickson, who formerly resided at 1401 Avon street, was conveyed to relatives and friends in La Crosse this afternoon.

Death occurred at Dallas, Texas, yesterday, of tuberculosis, and interment was made today at Dallas, where he has for some time been visiting with his sister, Alberta Fauver.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson and was born and raised on the North side, leaving about eight years ago.

His brother Michael is employed as a nurse in the Rochester hospital, and his parents now reside at Bonner, Mont., to which place they removed from La Crosse.

Miss Jennie Erickson, his other sister, is living in Chicago.

On account of the warm climate the funeral had to be held within 24 hours after his demise.

BERT SMITH HEADS UNIFORM RANK

The uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, held a meeting last evening and the rank was reorganized with the following officers:

—Captain—B. C. Smith.
—First Lieut.—F. J. Holmes.
—Second Lieut.—C. J. Fauchs.
—Recorder—F. Phillips.
—Treasurer—J. D. Wilson.

The meeting night and other minor details will be arranged last evening but will be taken up again at the next meeting when all the final details will be completed.

BREAKING COLTS

Gideon Marco is breaking a new team of imported French Quersy coach colts. He says he will bring them to the city to exhibit them as soon as they have been broken.

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Report of the Condition of the State Bank of La Crosse

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 14, 1908

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$672,303.80
Overdrafts	170.31
U. S. and other bonds and securities	74,053.50
Banking house and fixtures	8,000.00
In reserve banks	182,989.27
Cash in vault	99,700.54
Total	\$1,037,217.42
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	8,916.25
Deposits	928,301.17
Total	\$1,037,217.42

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MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

GIRL RACES WITH DEATH IN GAS FLOW

WARNED BY FAINTING MOTHER OVER 'PHONE

THE FAMILY WAS PERISHING

Girl Makes Flying Trip and Finds Family in Unconscious State

HAMILTON, Ont., March 11.—The flying trip of a young woman from Toronto to Hamilton yesterday saved the lives of her mother, two sisters and a cousin.

The young girl, who lives in Toronto with a married sister, while the remainder of the family live in Hamilton, was awakened in the morning by a telephone bell.

"Hamilton wants you in a hurry," was the message from central, and in a moment she heard her mother's voice, weak and almost inarticulate.

"O, Esther, come to us quickly. We're all dying," said the mother. "Annie is unconscious and both Bell and Jeanie are too sick to call the neighbors. Come as quick as you can. I can't stand at the phone longer."

The girl dressed hurriedly and, with her sister's help, harnessed a horse and rode to the railroad station, arriving just in time to catch a train. An hour and a half from the time she received the message she reached her home in Hamilton, and found the whole family unconscious from coal gas. She summoned physicians and the four were revived.

The mother declares her whole action was carried out as if in a dream. She had no thought of calling any person in Hamilton.

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BRYAN WILL WIN NORTH DAKOTA

GRAND FORKS, N. D., March 11.—Prominent democrats of North Dakota who are in touch with the political situation in the state do not take seriously the assertion of J. B. Eaton, the Fargo committee man, that the opposition to W. J. Bryan is making an effort to defeat him at the state convention to be held in Grand Forks on March 25. That John A. Johnson of Minnesota will have friends in the convention is a foregone conclusion, and that they will endeavor to secure the endorsement for second place for him seems certain. They did not take kindly to the action of the state committee in endorsing him for vice president with Bryan at the head of the ticket.

PUT BAN ON EMMA GOLDMAN

NEW ULM, Minn., March 11.—Emma Goldman, "high priestess of anarchy," who was booked for two lectures in this city, March 23 and 24, and whose topics were to be "The Revolutionary Spirit in Modern Drama" and "The Child and Its Enemies," will not be allowed to appear here.

The New Ulm Turnverein, after a spirited meeting voted to cancel the engagement, and she will be unable to secure the Verein hall. The board of education at a meeting held last week disapproved of her appearance, as many citizens had requested N. D. Elmer to exert his best efforts to have the lectures canceled, in view of recent anarchist assassinations at Denver and Chicago.

CONDEMN COWS IN MINN.

MOORHEAD, Minn., March 11.—Dr. Dunham has stated to the city council of Moorhead that he has been obliged to condemn fourteen head of milk cows out of twenty suspected animals on the Edwards dairy farm, east of this city. A short time ago eighty cows on this same farm were condemned and sent to St. Paul for slaughter, under the direction of the live stock sanitary board of the state. The loss to the owner has been heavy.

NORTHWEST IN BRIEF

VERMILION, S. D.—Morris H. Julek of Missouri, reputed to be a millionaire, has just invested \$90,000 in the Hinsey hay ranch west of this city, comprising a tract of 1,300 acres. A few months ago this same land sold for about \$40,000.

PIERRE, S. D.—The people of Forest City want the old mail line between that place and this city re-established. Years ago the old stage line with all its bravery of four-horse Concord coaches operated between here and Bismarck, with Forest City on the line.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia.—Cases involving \$1,000,000 against the Portland Gold Mining company of Colorado, went to trial in the district court here. The Portland company was incorporated in Iowa, with headquarters in Council Bluffs, and the present suit is an attempt of the state of Iowa to collect taxes on the capital of the company.

LINCOLN, Neb.—Gov. Sheldon has requested the state board of public lands and buildings to investigate the report that morphine was being smuggled into the Nebraska penitentiary.

It doesn't take a dentist to fill an aching void or a long-felt want.

Yet the bunko man's little game is only skin deep.

QUEEN OF SPAIN AFRAID FOR KING



This snapshot of Queen Ena of Spain, taken in Buckingham park. Her majesty is worried about the reported threats of the anarchists to assassinate her husband, King Alfonso of Spain.

FOUL PLAY ALLEGED.

TENSTRIKE, Minn., March 11.—There appears to be a mystery surrounding the death of Ed Dunlop at Big Falls about two weeks ago, and the relatives of the dead man are of the opinion that there has been foul play. It was reported here that Mr. Dunlop was found dead along the railroad track near Big Falls, but later it developed that he was found dead in one of the Big Falls resorts. It is said that Dunlop and another man had been drinking heavily, and that Dunlop's companion had a large sum of money. It is also reported that toward evening Dunlop fell asleep in the saloon, and later was carried to a room, where he remained all of one night and a day, and in the evening was found dead in bed. Some say that his companion has not been seen since. Dunlop was hurriedly buried at Big Falls. He was a brother-in-law of Peter Maule, of this village, and also had a sister in Michigan, who will demand an investigation.

When some women cast their bread upon the water it comes back in the guise of bread pudding.

DAILY MARKETS

Chicago Delivery.
Open. High. Low. Close.

WHEAT.

May ... 93 3/4 95 1/4 93 1/4 93 3/4

July ... 89 3/4 90 3/4 88 3/4 89 3/4

CORN.

May ... 65 1/4 66 1/4 64 1/4 65 1/4

July ... 62 1/4 63 1/4 61 1/4 62 1/4

OATS.

May ... 53 1/4 54 1/4 52 1/4 53 1/4

July ... 44 1/4 45 1/4 43 1/4 44 1/4

PORK.

May ... 12.07 12.15 12.07 12.12

Minneapolis Delivery.

May ... 105 106 104 104 1/2

July ... 103 1/4 104 1/4 103 1/4 103 1/2

Hog Close—Estimated receipts today, 35,000; for tomorrow, 30,000; market more active at early prices.

Cattle—19,500; steady.

Sheep—14,000; strong.

GOSSIP OF THE PIT.

Liverpool Cables—Opening, wheat, 1d lower; corn, unchanged. Close, wheat 1 1/4d lower; corn, 1/4d higher.

Hog Opening—Estimated receipts, hogs, 32,000; left over, 5,583; prospects steady at yesterday's close. Cattle, 19,000; prospects steady to strong. Sheep, 14,000; prospects strong.

New York—There seems to have been very good absorption of high grade stocks during recent days apparently this has not come on the market again on the advance.

Chicago Outlook—Morning news would indicate a continuation of present nervous and uncertain market with some further decline, perhaps—sentiment appears to have swung strongly to bear side and the selling in view of trade being mostly local will soon be overdone—if this is not the case already. Following a broad of 6 to 7c in a few days it seems to us about time we had improvement in demand for cash wheat. This would likely check decline in short order and turn market sharply higher; we feel that it is safe now to pick up some wheat while price is hampered down with sales contrary to what conditions would seem to warrant.

New York—On the bulge this morning we would take the short side of active stocks for turns as we look for lower prices before the close of the day.

IbSEN CLUB MEETING

The Ibsen club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. N. R. Nelson at West avenue and Market streets.

There are some people who have some good in them, but it takes a lot of coaxing to bring it out.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

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LOCAL MARKET IS STATIONARY TODAY

FEWER FARMERS COME IN SINCE NICE WEATHER BEGAN

SEED GRAIN IS NOW TOPIC

Residents of the Rural Districts Are Preparing for the Spring Planting in This Vicinity

The local market is stationary today, no change being noted over yesterday's prices.

With the approach of spring the farmers coming to the city are few, and the principal topic of those marketing here seem to be the seed grain. Already farmers have started to get their spring seed if they have not already laid in a supply.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1908.

Fruit, Oysters, Produce.

(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Apples, N. Y. Bald. bl. \$3.50 @ \$4.50

Apples, choice \$2.50 @ 3.00

Apples, Wash. Ben Davis, box \$1.50

Bananas, per bunch \$1.75 @ 2.50

Oranges, navel, box \$2.75

Oranges (choice), box \$2.50

Lemons, 360 size box \$3.35

Lemons, 300 size box \$3.25

Cranberries, Jerseys, bbl. \$8.00

Cranberries, Wis. bl. \$6.50

Oysters, select, gal. \$1.25 @ 1.50

Oysters, select, per can 32c

Oysters, standard, per can 28c

Potatoes, per bu. 80c

Onions, per bu. 60 @ 90c

Rutabagas, per bu. \$1.50 @ 1.75

Cabbage, per bl. \$1.50 @ 2.00

Strawberries, per quart 40c

Celery 50 @ 90c

Grapes, malaga, lb. 20c

Parsnips, bu. 75c

Carrots, bu. 75c

Flour.

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per barrel \$5.50

Straight, per barrel \$5.40

Mill Feed.

Shorts, per ton \$22.00

Bran, per ton \$21.00

White middlings, per ton \$23.00

Red Dog, per ton \$25.00

Grain.

(Quoted by W. W. Cargill Co.)

Winter wheat 80 @ 85c

Spring wheat 90c

Barley 65 @ 70c

Oats 40 @ 45c

Rye 60 @ 65c

New corn 40 @ 45c

Old corn 60 @ 65c

Livestock.

(By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs \$3.75 @ \$4.00

Steers \$3.50 @ \$4.50

Heifers \$3.50 @ \$4.50

Cows \$1.50 @ \$3.00

Lambs \$4.00 @ \$5.50

Lambs \$4.50 @ \$5.50

Poultry.

Old chickens 10 @ 11c

Young chickens 10 @ 11c

Turkeys, pound 10 @ 12c

Ducks 9c

Geese 8 @ 10c

Provisions.

Lard, tierce, per pound 9c

Hams 10 @ 11c

Shoulders 8c

Bacon 11 1/2 @ 15c

Dry beef 15 @ 17c

Butter.

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound 33c

Dairy, per pound 30 @ 33c

Fresh eggs, per doz 17c

Eggs, on track, case \$4.65

Vegetables.

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)

Young carrots, per bunch 8c

Young beets, per bunch 8c

Vegetable oysters, bunch 5c

Endive, bunch 5c

Blue Point Oysters, ct 45c

Eggs, strictly fresh, dozen 18c

Creamery, per pound 37c

Dairy, per pound 30 @ 32c

Parsley, bunch 5c

New cabbage, each 5 @ 8c

Sweet potatoes, lb. 7c

Potatoes, per bushel 75c

Carrots, peck 15c

Cranberries, qt. 12 1/2 c

Wax beans, lb. 20c

Beets, peck 20c

Celery, dozen 40 @ 50c

Cucumbers, each 15 @ 18c

Lettuce, 2 bunches for 5c

Rutabagas, pk. 15c

WISCONSIN NEWS

SUPREME COURT GIVES DECISIONS

SEVERAL CASES ARE DECIDED
AT MADISON

MILWAUKEE CASE REVERSED

Man Charged With Crime Against
His Stepdaughter Will Be Given
a New Trial

MADISON, Wis., March 11.—(Special.)—The supreme court has handed down the following decisions:

The case of Hattie B. Corbett vs. The Physician's Casualty Association of America, a Nebraska corporation, was affirmed.

Mrs. Corbett brings action to recover \$2,000 on a certificate of membership in the casualty company, held by her late husband. The latter had paid two assessments regularly and when notified of a third special assessment he mailed a draft for the amount to the offices of the company. It reached the office one day later than the date it was due and the next day Dr. Corbett sustained a fatal injury. The lower court rendered a special verdict for the full amount and the case was taken to the supreme court in order to determine the question of whether the Wisconsin statutes shall apply to a foreign insurance corporation in this connection.

Clay Company Case.
The case of Manitowoc Clay Products Company vs. the Green Bay & Northwestern Railway, was affirmed.

This was a condemnation action, in which the railroad sought to condemn certain lands of the Clay Products company for the purpose of laying a track. The jury in the lower court decided the market value of the property was \$36,000—and if the railroad furnished a subway crossing the company should be reimbursed in the sum of \$83,900. Both sides appealed.

Anti-Pass Case.
The case of Arthur Gabbert, resp., vs. S. H. Hackett, receiver for the Winnebago Traction Co., appellant, was affirmed.

Decision in this case determines whether Gabbert, a city policeman in Oshkosh, can recover \$250 damages for injuries sustained while riding on one of the company's cars. The company claims that inasmuch as Gabbert was riding on a free pass, under the city ordinance giving policemen the right to ride free, he was violating the state anti-pass law and therefore cannot recover.

The case of Milton M. Dungan vs. State was reversed, and a new trial was ordered.

Dungan was convicted in Judge Brazee's court in Milwaukee of the crime of rape committed on his 13-year-old stepdaughter, Leona Van Kirk and sentenced for 25 years to the penitentiary, sentence to begin April 1, 1905. Dungan kept a notorious resort on East Water street and his wife at one time was an inmate of a River street resort.

The case of Ella M. Salladay vs. Mineral Point Zinc Co. was affirmed.

Ella M. Salladay sues for damages of \$1,500 because sulphuric acid fumes from the zinc company's factory have spoiled the sale of her property adjacent to the factory. The zinc company demurred. The judge overruled the demurrer. The company appealed.

The case of Mary Ellen Holman vs. Mineral Point Zinc company was affirmed.

Parallel case, except that \$2,000 damages is asked.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS AT MILWAUKEE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 11.—(Special.)—The state encampment of the order of Royal Neighbors of America, an auxiliary to the Modern Woodmen, opened here today. The meeting is of great importance, for the life of the Wisconsin order is at stake. For some months there have been fierce factional disputes over the selection of delegates to the national encampment.

The state convention of Modern Woodmen will be held at Wausau in May.

DAIRMEN CONVENE TODAY

MONROE, Wis., March 11.—(Special.)—The annual convention of the Wisconsin Dairymen's association, one of the largest and best known organizations of its kind in the world, opened here this morning. More than 100 of the foremost dairymen of Wisconsin are here.

Mayor Ludlow welcomed the dairymen, and Charles L. Hill of Rosendale responded. W. J. Gillett of Rosendale then delivered the annual president's address.

This afternoon Ex-Gov. W. D. Hoard of Fort Atkinson will be the principal speaker. His subject is "Judging the Cow." There will be a literary and musical entertainment tonight.

The association was formed on Feb. 15, 1872, and this convention is the thirty-sixth annual meeting.

APPLETON SHORT ON HELP

APPLETON, Wis., March 11.—(Special.)—A new "servant girl problem" has arisen in Appleton. Some months ago there was a great scarcity of female help, and today the inquiries for positions are innumerable. These conditions obtain in nearly all large cities since the financial flurry. Housewives are happy for wages are taking a tumble and help can be secured at half the price formerly.

TORTURES FAMILY WITH HOT WATER

KENOSHA COUNTY FARMER A
FIEND, IS CHARGE

NEIGHBORS IN ANGRY MOOD

Threats of Violence Are Made
Against Man Who Is Said to
Have Been Ugly

KENOSHA, Wjs., March 11.—One of the most brutal crimes known in this section was brought to light by the arrest of Chris Rasmussen, a well to do farmer of the town of Pleasant Prairie in this county, who is charged with attempting to kill his wife, his son Christian, aged 4 years, and daughter Rose, aged 9 years, by scalding them. A posse of farmers, armed with shotguns and revolvers, searched all night for the man. He was taken into custody by Sheriff Pennig in the morning.

The little boy was the first to be seized, it is charged, and with a maniacal yell holding the child about the legs, it is said, poured the boiling water down the back of his neck. The child fell to the floor, and then the little girl was taken and the boiling water thrown over her head and arms, it is alleged. At this the mother sought to rescue the children, and in the scuffle which followed the remainder of the water was thrown over her. The mother fled for her life, but the man managed to keep the children in the room.

The mother aroused the neighborhood, and in half an hour fifty men armed with all sort of weapons had surrounded the house and went to the rescue of the children. The little boy was unconscious when found, and may not recover.

BUTCHER SELLS DISEASED PORK

MILWAUKEE, Wis., March 11.—Consumers of pork in the northwest corner of Milwaukee were shocked by the discovery that meat affected with trichinae is being sold in that section.

KEMP LOSES CASE

RACINE, Wis., March 11.—In the circuit court here judgment was entered in favor of the Bank of Burlington against former State Treasurer John J. Kemp in the amount of \$862.73. Feb. 2, 1907, Kemp and Stephen Madigan, giving a note for the amount. The signers of the note agreed to pay \$50 a month during April, May, June, July and August, and \$75 a month during September, October, November and December. In January \$100 was to be paid and the balance in February. Henry Madigan indorsed the note and it was accepted by the Bank of Burlington. No payments were made on the note.

PLAN SWISS COLONY

CHIPPEWA FALLS, Wis., March 11.—Plans for a large Swiss settlement in Chippewa and Taylor counties are being made by Adam Bram of Madison, Wis., who has just purchased 6,456 acres for \$76,213 from the Daniel Shaw Lumber company. Mr. Bram proposes to bring the settlers from Europe and the southern part of Wisconsin.

BURGLARS ARE MAN AND WIFE

RACINE, Wis., March 11.—A message from Waukegan, Ill., states that Mr. and Mrs. George Moran, who burglarized stores in that city and brought the plunder to their home in Racine, where it was found, have pleaded guilty. The man and woman declared that because of hunger they were driven to burglary.

STRIPES FOR POLICEMEN.

OSHKOSH, Wis., March 11.—(Special.)—Oshkosh policemen are to get marks of distinction if the council acts favorably on a resolution ordering a stripe on the sleeve for each five years of continuous service. This plan is in effect in every large city in the country.

ANTI-CORSET MAN BUYS FARM

KAUKAUNA, Wis., March 11.—Ex-Assemblyman H. L. Daggett of anti-corset fame, has just returned from Mexico, where he purchased a fruit ranch. He brought home a lemon that weighs three pounds.

STATE NEWS IN BRIEF

MANITOWOC.—Rudolph Pumper, a former Manitowoc county boy, was killed in a railway accident at Milwaukee, Wis.

CHIPPEWA FALLS.—The town treasurers of Chippewa county have joined to collect all personal property taxes and do away with turning over these taxes to the county treasurer. This year every person who refuses to pay his personal tax will be served with a summons to appear before a magistrate.

MONROE.—A Green county La Follette-for-president club, starting out with a membership close to 500, has been organized.

MANITOWOC.—Refusing to eat, unable to sleep and in a condition bordering on nervous prostration, Charles Hayes, a Chicago man under arrest for the alleged murder of his nephew, William Kuchimberg, at Maple Grove, two weeks ago, is fast becoming a shadow of his former self.

The average farmer just dearly loves an oyster stew.

ROYAL WORCESTER AND BON TON CORSET DEMONSTRATION ALL WEEK

A STARTLING AGGREGATION OF MAGNETIC VALUES FOR THURSDAY SHOPPERS

AT DOERFLINGER'S

Here are extraordinary values! and an illustration of the way this biggest and busiest of all La Crosse stores does things. We're getting this business of ours to an absolute science—the science of good store-keeping, and eternally giving of unusual and remarkable values. Wednesday's coupon bargains brought throngs — Thursday's will bring even bigger ones. Scores of unadvertised bargains — marked by the four-leaf clover cards—all over the store, point the way to matchless bargains, omitted from this and all other announcements—purposely. For this is **Clover Leaf Week. LOOK** for the **Clover Leaf Bargains.**

98c Combination Coupon

SPECIAL FOR THURSDAY
In the Basement Pure Food Grocery
All for 98c—in The Basement

The assortment cannot be broken
or in any way changed. The lot must
be taken as a whole.

A REMARKABLE NEW COMBINATION OF GROCERIES

- 1 lb. Granulated Cane Sugar 13c
- 1 lb. best grade Lump Starch 13c
- 1 box Domestic Oil Sardines 13c
- 1 Bar La Crosse Sweet Home Soap 13c
- 1 package Yeast Foam 13c
- 1 box Uneda Crackers 13c
- 3 pounds of best bulk Salt 13c
- 2 pounds of best Sal Soda 13c
- 1/2 of a pound of best Pepper 5c
- 1/2 of a pound of best Cinnamon 5c
- 1/2 of a pound of best Allspice 5c
- 1/2 of a pound of best Cloves 5c
- 1 pound of Royal Blend Coffee 20c
- 1 gallon of Wine Vinegar 15c
- 1/2 of a pound of our 40c Tea 10c
- 1 pint bottle of Blueing 5c
- 1 box "Firelight" 500 Matches 4c
- 1 pound of California Prunes 5c
- 1 fancy California Lemons 5c

ALL THE ABOVE FOR . . . 98c

This Coupon and 10c

Buys "Red Lead" Gingham in
dress styles. These are splendid
15c values, but with the coupon,
tomorrow the yard they're
only 10c

Dress Goods Section—First Floor

This Coupon and 5c

Buys a yard of all linen Brown
Crash in the Dress Goods Section,
Main Floor. Get all you need
—one coupon and 5c

Regular value, 10c yd.

This Coupon and \$1.59

Buys a set of Knives—silver plated
—and six silver plated forks.
All packed nicely in neat white
lined box. The coupon
and \$1.59

Jewelry Shop—First Floor

This Coupon and 88c

Buys a Ladies' Petticoat
made of black rustling
taffeta. This
splendid skirt has an
18 inch flounce, with
full ruffle, and is
nicely tucked and
corded. It would be a
remarkable value at
\$1.50, but—if you
bring this coupon, on
Thursday, and present
it to a saleslady in the
2nd floor Salons of
Women's Wear,
we'll allow se-
lection for
88c

88c

THAW TRIAL PLAY IMMORAL?

NEW YORK, March 11.—At the close of the performance of "A Millionaire's Revenge" at the Columbia theatre at Jersey City last night the police arrested the principals. They are charged with producing an immoral play which was founded on the Thaw trial.

BRIDGE DESIGN MURDEROUS

OTTAWA, Ont., March 11.—The report of the royal commission on the collapse of the Quebec bridge in which eighty lives were lost has been presented to parliament. It says the collapse was due to defect in design

and that the parts of the bridge which first gave way were the lower chords in the anchor arm near the main pier.

STEERAGE RATES CUT

NEW YORK, March 11.—A cut in the steerage rates on the North German Lloyd line from Bremen, except on its four express steamers, has been announced. The reduction is from \$28 to \$26. The Russian lines, the Russian East Asiatic company and the Russian Volunteer Fleet company more than met this rate by reducing the steerage fares on their steamers from \$28 to \$24 from Rotterdam.

FOR BETTER CONSULS

WASHINGTON, March 11.—That the United States consular service is far from being uniformly efficient and should be organized on the merit system by law, Austin A. Burnham of Chicago, general secretary of the National Business League of America, urged the passage of a bill to effect the rehabilitation of that service. Mr. Burnham protested against foreigners being employed in the consular service.

HEAR REBATE CASE

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The case of the government against the

CHICAGO & ALTON RAILWAY COMPANY

involving a fine of \$60,000 for granting rebates, has been set for hearing in the supreme court of the United States on the first Tuesday of the next term.

STRANGE BEAUTY SUICIDES.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 11.—An unknown woman, well dressed, jumped from the Smithfield street bridge into the Monongahela river and was swept away by the swollen water. Nothing is known concerning the woman.

Don't save all your smiles for the parlor. Use a few in the kitchen.

CUT OUT AND USE THE COUPONS

We wish to thoroughly test the advertising value of this newspaper. For three more days—Thursday, Friday and Saturday, we will accept the coupons printed on this page as cash for a certain part of the selling price of the article advertised on the coupon. No "ifs," "ands" or "buts" about it. You must present the coupon when you make the purchase. If you don't bring along the coupon and give it to the salesperson you buy from, there will be NO ALLOWANCE. While this will be expensive advertising for us, we propose to ascertain the relative value of the respective La Crosse papers to our advertising department.

The Ever Ready Safety Razor \$1.00

A comfortable shave in 3 minutes, yourself if you try. Your money back after a trial if not more than pleased and satisfied. Ever Ready, 12 separate keen blades. The best of all Safety Razors, not excepting those at \$5. All complete in box, ready for shaving. Blades enough to last a year, no honing or stropping necessary. A high grade Safety Razor for

\$1.00

See! What This Cou- pon and 15c

Buys in the Basement Grocery:
3 bars of "Sweet Home" Soap.
1 loaf of Wheat or Rye Bread.
1 box (500) Firelight Matches.
All for this coupon and 15 cents.

This Coupon and 12c

Buys a 25c bottle of "Queen Quality" Liquid Shoe Dressing in the Shoe department. The finest liquid dressing known for women's shoes. A coupon and 12c

This Coupon and 2c

Buys an Asbestos Stove Mat 8 1/2 inches in diameter, with tin border ring for hanging on a hook or nail 2 1/2c

Basement

This Coupon and 5c

Buys a pretty picture in the Furniture section. We give you choice of a big lot of 10, 12 and 15c pictures, great assortment of choice subjects to choose from. Bring the coupon and 5c

Third Floor.

This Coupon and 13 1/2c

Buys a new spring weight ladies' vest. With long sleeves, white bleached, with pearl buttons—a regular 20c quality, in the underwear section—main floor. Each, this coupon and 13 1/2c

This Coupon and 13 1/2c

Buys a pretty, serviceable imitation cut-glass crystal wine-glass. Limit of six to a customer. This coupon and 13 1/2c

CUT FIRST CLASS RATE.

PORTLAND, Ore., March 11.—The heaviest cut in steamship rates on this coast in years was made on Monday when the Harriman people announced a first class rate between Portland and San Francisco of \$10 and a second class rate of \$5.

RAILROAD PHILANTHROPIC.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 11.—The Santa Fe railway company has sent in a contribution of \$15,000 to the plague fund to make the city sanitary, and prevent the spread of contagion. E. H. Harriman will contribute \$30,000 from the Southern Pacific.



Another Astounding
Sale of

EXQUISITE EMBROIDERIES

200 Yards of Beautiful
20c Embroideries at... 7 1/2c And The
Co upon

Another one of those surprising special embroidery sale events for which this store is famous. One reason why our embroidery sales at this store are always well attended and eagerly watched for is that they never disappoint. We want our patrons tomorrow to key their expectations to the highest pitch—we'll fulfil those of the most sanguine—"and then some." In Thursday's offering we include fine beautiful embroideries and embroidering edges and insertions on Nainsook, Swisses and Cambric. These are trial strips—the choicest pieces; therefore the variety is large and patterns are exclusive. Values to 20c, but with the coupon above we will sell 'em on Thursday at the yard 7 1/2c

Embroidery
Coupon
20c Values
7 1/2c
Cut Out
This Coupon
and Bring it
With You!

HAVE YOU ATTENDED? BETTER COME! THE ENTERTAINING EVENT OF THE WEEK GRAND DEMONSTRATION AND SALE OF ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS

We take pleasure in announcing to the women of La Crosse a great Demonstration of the Royal Worcester Corset this week. We cordially invite you to visit our Corset Salons and meet Miss McDowell, an expert corsetiere from the "Royal Worcester" factory at Worcester, Mass., who will demonstrate and give fittings of the celebrated Royal Worcester "Bon Ton" Corsets. Demonstration continues through the week. A word about the Royal Worcester Corsets.

ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS REFLECT THE NEWEST GOWNING MODELS

If more women would only realize the necessity of buying a new corset before having new gowns made, instead of afterwards, there would be no need for anything but well-dressed, distinguished-looking women.

Every day it happens. We fit somebody with a fine, perfectly-shaped corset. The somebody is delighted at the change in her figure—the long lines, the straight front, the slender, long hips, the high bust and small waist effects. Then she tries on her gown. The waist won't come together, the skirt lies on the floor and is nearly twice too big around the hips.

"Why, I can't take this corset!" she cries. I've had three new gowns and a tailor suit made, and I knew my dressmaker won't want to alter them. I'd better wait until next season and then get a new model."

Wouldn't you rather have a good figure now and insist on having your clothes altered? Or, better still, come and be fitted for a corset before all your spring things are made.

New ROYAL WORCESTER CORSETS coming every day now and all the correct and authoritative models are represented. La Crosse's leading modistes recommend "ROYAL WORCESTER" for perfect fitting and latest French models. Prices start down at the \$1.00 notch, and as they go up step by step to \$20, the materials grow more beautiful, the trimmings more unusual, and always there are the wonderful curves and perfect workmanship.



8c And This Coupon

Buys a pair of Boys' 15c Suspenders, in the Clothing Department, second floor. These are splendid quality suspenders, have good strong elastic webbing, sliding buckle, leather trimmed back and front and mohair ends. This coupon and 8c

This Coupon and 5c

Buys a regular 10c package of "Arm and Hammer" brand Soda. You must bring the coupon—and Basement grocery 5c

This Coupon and 69c

Buys the regular dollar bottle of Peruna. Drug Counter—first floor—one bottle only to a customer.

